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WHAT ROOT THINKS OF THE GANG.

"A Criminal Combination Masquerading Under the Name of Republicans."

Elihu Root, one of the strong figures of Republicanism, has been elevated to a position of the highest honor and opportunity in the Secretaryship of State.

His keen insight and his sturdy loyalty to the principles of Republicanism have not been shown to better purpose than in his courageous denunciation of graft among powerful persons in his party. His recent letter to Mayor Weaver, of Philadelphia, startled the country by its vivid language, and won for him the highest praise as a leader. His characterization of the Gang as "a corrupt and criminal combination masquerading under the name of Republicans" will always be remembered.

The utterance is of such wide importance that it has been preserved in permanent form. The letter will appear as a supplement to the Sunday North American of August 20. It is printed on a handsome colored sheet, suitable for framing, decorated with Secretary Root's portrait and the arms of the United States and Philadelphia, the whole making a souvenir which every Pennsylvanian should keep.

School Directors Upheld.

About one year ago the directors of the schools of Henderson township, Huntingdon county, in conference with the county superintendent, decided that it was best to close the Pike Run school and it was accordingly closed.

But exception was taken to this by some of the citizens. An inspector was appointed who reported the condition of affairs and recommended that the school in question be opened. The matter was heard by the court and in a recent decision, the action of the directors and superintendent was upheld and the following decree, which will be of special interest to the citizens and school board of Potter township, was issued:

"And now, July 15, 1905, the Report of the Inspector is overruled and set aside and the Rule is discharged at the cost of the petitioners."

A Marvelous Enterprise.

Every day the expression is heard, "It is marvelous how a Sunday newspaper can give to its readers free of charge such a beautiful color magazine as is given with The Philadelphia Sunday Press"

This magazine is equal to any ten cent magazine and is given absolutely free with The Sunday Press, a Sunday newspaper which costs only five cents per copy. The Sunday Press also has two other beautiful color magazines, consisting of a Women's Magazine, which is unexcelled, and a Comic Magazine, equal to the best.

Such wonderful and valuable parts of a Sunday newspaper which is ably edited throughout, constantly add thousands of copies to the circulation of The Philadelphia Press. Do you read it? If not, notify your newsdealer at once to begin serving you with this paper.

U. S. Mail Matters.

To facilitate a more accurate handling of the mail by rural free delivery carriers the Postoffice Department is arranging for the numbering of all rural letter boxes which under the regulations of the department are entitled to service, and authorizing the delivering by rural letter carriers of ordinary mail matter of all classes addressed to boxes by number alone so long as improper and unlawful business is not conducted thereby, the same as is now permitted in the case of postoffice boxes. Instructions will be issued to post-masters within a short time to assign to boxes entitled to service consecutive numbers, beginning with the first box reached by the carrier after leaving the postoffice and a new box erected subsequent to the original numbering will be assigned the next consecutive number in the use of the particular route.

Keith's Theatre.

Keith's Chestnut Street Theatre, Philadelphia, presents a great bill for the opening of the fall season. The leading feature this week will be the farewell engagement of the distinguished actor and popular leading man, Robert Hilliard, supported by an excellent company, including the clever child actress, June Pelton, in "As a Man Sows." Galletti,s pantomime monkeys, a troupe of Simian actors, whose performance will delight the Juvenile patrons; The World's Comedy Four, a quartette of character singers and fun makers; Ellis-Nowlan trio, an unusual eccentric acrobatic offering; Mignonette Kokin, comedienne and terpsichorean artiste; Mark Sullivan, monologist and mimic; The Wilsons, Russell & Tillyne,; special attraction, the greatest of modern sensations, the Zancigs, "Two Minds with but a Single Thought."

INCIDENTS OF 1873.

Local Items Taken from the Centre Reporter of Interest to 1905 Readers.

[*Note: The spelling of proper names is the same as found in the files of the Reporter.*]

JULY 10—A little girl, aged ten years, daughter of Samuel Boob, of near Woodward, fell into a spring of water and was drowned.

An exhibition given by the Harter school, near Rebersburg, taught by C. L Gramley, is mentioned at length. Among other things the report says: C. C. Luse and F. M. Gramley, though young, are very accomplished and unembarassed speakers. The German speech, by H. H. Weber, of Rebersburg, a boy of ten, was the crowning feature of the exhibition. The boy, in the course of time, will make a German orator. Samuel Gramley, Esq., made a very encouraging address.

Solomon Wirt, who was visiting at Millerstown, died after a brief illness. His remains were brought to his home at Aaronsburg for interment. His age was sixty-seven years, six months.

Millheim now has ten stores, big and little, and looks business-like all over.

JULY 17—Monday afternoon, 14th inst., a terrific storm passed over Harris township. At Boalsburg the fine Reformed church had the gable end blown in; the cone of the brick wall crushed through the ceiling, carrying all with it through to the first floor, demolishing seats, chairs, and damaging the pulpit. The damage done is estimated at from $1500 to $2000. The one-half of the roof, on the one side of the church, was carried by the storm and lodged against the door of the Lutheran church. The spire withstood the storm. Rev. W. H. Groh, the pastor, stood under the church door when the rear of the edifice was crushed in.

AUGUST 14—The brick school house at Churchville (Tusseyville) is completed, and is one of the handsomest in the county. The residence of Thomas Frederick, an enterprising young man, and one of Potter township's most efficient and successful school teachers, is also completed.

The Democratic county convention placed in nomination the following ticket:

Assembly—John H. Orvis
Treasurer—J. B. Mitchell
Commissioner—John G. Sankey
Jury Com.—Michael Grove
Auditors—Samuel Frank
A. J. Greist

BALLOTS—TREASURER

	1	2	3	4	5
J. B. Mitchel, Ferguson—13	22	36	37	39	
Mr. Dobbins	17				
J. H. Barnhart, Spring—13	16				
Thos. Yearick, Haines—21	23	24	24	22	
H. G. Smith, Penn—14	14	15	14	14	

COMMISSIONER

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
J. G. Sankey, Potter—24	23	22	24	31	30	40	
S. M. Winters, Miles—17	18	20	26	22	21		
H. Korman, Miles—21	21	21	22	22	24	35	
Jon. Kreamer, Harris—4	4	4	3				
G. Meyer, Ferguson—8	8	8					

P. Gray Meek was nominated for state senator, and selected as his conferees Messrs. Joseph Gilliland, C. D. Keller and C. T. Alexander.

The whole Democratic ticket was elected the following October, except Mr. Sankey, who was defeated by Samuel Gramley, Republican, by thirty-four votes. The other Democratic majorities were from 375 to 767, the latter the majority of Mr. Orvis for Assembly.

AUGUST 21—The corner stone for the new Evangelical church, at Centre Hall, was laid last Sunday. Rev. Sloat, of the Nittany circuit, delivered the sermon. The cost of the new church will be about $3500, one-half of which has already been subscribed. Rev. Young is pastor.

SEPTEMBER 4—The early huckleberries brought ten cents. Eight cents was paid during the season at Centre Hall.

David Brisbin, of Potters Mills, (clerk for Robert H. Duncan, Spring Mills) met with a serious accident. His gun exploded, badly crippling his hand, and both his eyes were so severely burned by powder, that he could not see, and had to be taken to his home.

Married—June 24, John C. Kuhn and Miss Susan Markle, both of Linden Hall . . . June 24, John H. Young and Miss Catharine Decker, both of Potter township . . . July 29, Emanuel Breon, of Penn township, and Miss Elizabeth Confer, of Potter township . . . July 31, John E. Minich and Miss Maggie A. Weaver, both of Brush Valley . . . July 31, Jerome A. Moyer and Miss Clara E. Wolf, both of Brush Valley . . . October 28, Aaron Spangler, of Potter township, and Miss Amanda Willow, of Centre Hall.

The chiropodist may rise to the head of his profession and still remain at the foot.

An optimist is a man who polishes up the dark side of life.

Clothes may not make the man, but they sort of classify him.

32ND ENCAMPMENT AND EXHIBITION

Grange Park, Centre Hall, Will Open Saturday, September 16, for One Week.

The Thirty-second annual Encampment and Exhibition of the Patrons of Husbandry of Central Pennsylvania, will open on Grange Park, Centre Hall, Saturday, September 16, and continue for one week.

Grange Park covers an area of twenty-eight acres, is located along the Lewisburg and Tyrone Railroad, and is well adapted to the purpose for which it is used.

True to its name this outing embraces an encampment and exhibition. Over one hundred tents are pitched on the grounds, floored, furnished with tables, and offered at a rental of $3.00 for the week. If desired by camping parties, these tents will be arranged to suit the fancies of the prospective tenants. The tents used are known as hospital tents, 14x16 feet, and are securely fastened to stakes.

The exhibit department is growing annually. The indications are that the exhibit of the products of the farm will be shown on an elaborate scale, and by a class of people who grow them not only for exhibition purposes, but for a living. Exhibits shown from such a source are of actual benefit to the thousands of spectators who are similarly engaged.

The manufacturers of agricultural implements, farm machinery, household utilities, novelties, etc., will find this gathering admirably suited for a profitable exhibit. This is so because the manufacturer comes in touch with the user of his wares. Exhibits unsold may be returned free, by securing a certificate of exhibit from the association.

Farmers and stock growers who make that branch of husbandry a business, who take advantage of this exhibition, (and there are not a few of them) will find that their efforts to show their stock well repaid. There is ample stabling, good water, feed, straw, etc., on the grounds, purchasable at market price.

Pennsylvania State College makes a fine display each year, occupying an entire building. Grains, vegetables, fruit are exhibited, giving the yields for a series of years on the experimental farm. Besides this, the College displays work of the institution, gives out valuable literature for farmers and students.

The exercises in the auditorium during the day are of a character to interest the general public—farmers, mechanics, laborers, and professional men, as well as the ladies.

The entertainments given in the evenings in the auditorium will be of great interest and amusement. On the grounds there will be the usual entertaining features.

Railroad excursion rates over all roads in Pennsylvania, from September 15th to 23rd, good any day going and good to return until September 25th.

To Yellowstone Park, Etc.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has arranged a special personally-conducted tour to visit the Pacific Coast, including the Yellowstone Park, Portland (for the Lewis and Clark Exposition), and the beautiful resorts among the Colorado Rockies. This tour will leave New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, and other cities on the Pennsylvania Railroad Saturday, September 2, by a special train of high-grade Pullman equipment. The itinerary will cover a period of three weeks, the party reaching the East on the homeward journey September 22. The special train will be used by the party over the entire route, except during the five and one-half days in the Yellowstone Park, when the fine hotels now in service in the Great Preserve will be utilized. The train will be side-tracked in Portland for occupancy there, and all meals en route, except in the Yellowstone Park and in Denver, will be served in the special dining car.

Round-trip tickets, covering all necessary expenses for twenty-one days, $200 from all points on the Pennsylvania Railroad except Pittsburgh, from which the rate will be $195.

For itineraries and further information apply to ticket agents; C. Studds, Eastern Passenger Agent, 263 Fifth Avenue, New York; Hugh Hasson, Jr., Passenger Agent Baltimore District, Baltimore, Md.; B. M. Newbold, Passenger Agent Southeastern District, Washington, D. C.; Thos. E. Watt, Passenger Agent Western District, Pittsburgh, Pa.; or address Geo. W. Boyd, General Passenger Agent, Philadelphia.

Borough School Duplicate.

The borough school duplicate, now in the hands of Tax Collector J. Frank Smith, foots up $935.24. The tax rate was six mills for school and one-half mill for building purposes, and yielded about $2.00 more than the tax collected last year.

GAME LAWS OF 1905.

A Digest That Will Interest Sportsmen and the Public Generally.

Following will be found a brief summary of the game and fish laws:

Quail, Nov. 1 to Dec. 1.
Rail or reed birds, Sept. 1 to Dec. 1.
Wild turkey, Oct. 15 to Dec. 1.
Ruffed grouse, Oct. 15 to Dec 1.
Plover, July 15 to Dec. 1.
Wild fowl, Sept. 1 to May 1.
Woodcock, Oct. 1 to Dec. 1.
Snipe, Sept. 1 to May 1.
Deer, Nov. 15 to Dec. 1.
Squirrel, Oct. 1 to Dec. 1.
Rabbit, Nov. 1 to Dec. 1.
Bear, Oct. 1 to March 1.
Brook trout, April 15 to August 1.
Salmon, June 15 to Feb. 15.
Bass, June 15 to Dec. 15.
Pike, June 15 to Feb. 15.

It is unlawful: To shoot or hunt on Sunday, penalty $25; to kill any song or insectivorous birds, or destroy any of the nests or eggs, except for scientific purposes. Permits to collect game mammals, birds, nests and eggs must be obtained from the game commissioners.

It is unlawful: To kill, or entrap or pursue with intent to kill, any elk, deer, fawn, wild turkey, pheasant, grouse, quail, partridge or woodcock for the purpose of selling the same, or to ship any of the above game out of the state; penalty $100 for every elk, deer or fawn so taken, purchased or sold, and $25 for every wild turkey, pheasant, grouse, quail, partridge or woodcock. Unlawful for any one person to kill in one day more than ten woodcock, or more than five ruffed grouse, (commonly called pheasant,) or more than one wild turkey, or to kill in one season more than one deer. Unlawful to use dogs in hunting for deer, under penalty of $100. Dogs pursuing deer may be killed. Hunting rabbits with ferrets prohibited. Unlawful to shoot buckshot at deer.

LOCALS.

Many a slow girl wears fast colors.

Business men's picnic Tuesday of next week.

Ralph Boozer was home from Altoona for a few days.

A hail storm, Sunday night, did much damage to the tobacco crop in Lancaster county.

The Free Library, Grange Arcadia, will be open to the public Saturday evening from 7 to 8 o'clock.

On account of the clouds that flitted across the face of the moon, Monday night, the scheduled partial eclipse could not be observed in this locality.

The marriage of Oscar Gray, son of John F. Gray, of State College, to Miss May Judge, of Bellefonte, will take place in that town sometime in September.

At a recent meeting of the school board of Ferguson township the following vacancies were supplied: Fairbrook, Gertie Keichline; Centre, Wm. Garner; Marengo, Homer Decker.

Bill had a billboard. Bill had a boardbill. The bill bored Bill so that Bill sold the bill board to pay the board bill. So after Bill sold his bill board to pay his bill it no longer bored Bill.

The large barn on the Russler farm, near Belleville, occupied by Jacob Hostetter, was struck by lightning and totally destroyed. All the summer crops were in the barn. There was no insurance.

Superintendent of Public Schools D. O. Etters has sued the Bellefonte school board for a balance salary due. The suit was brought before 'Squire Musser, of Bellefonte; the sum in dispute is $280.

John G. Rossman, son of Merchant H. F. Rossman, of Spring Mills, was in town Monday evening. Mr. Rossman is a member of the Sophomore class in Franklin and Marshall College, and is a young man of studious habits.

Howard Struble received a severe cut across the head by falling from a barn loft, at his home near Zion. He was found by his sister in an unconscious condition. The wound was sewed up, and since the injury has not occasioned alarm.

During an electrical storm, Sunday, two barns—one the property of Wilson Rupert, in Henderson township, Huntingdon county; and the other owned by Dr. Bruce P. Steel, near McVeytown, were struck by lightning and destroyed by fire.

H. B. Spangler, of Chicago, Illinois, writes the Reporter thus: "I take great pleasure in enclosing herewith one dollar ($1.00) to extend my subscription to The Reporter one year. Am glad to say it is an investment that bears good interest."

An effort on the part of the people of Walker township is being made to purchase the old Presbyterian church, at Hublersburg, a large, roomy building, and one that is in fairly good repair. The building will be used for public purposes when it becomes the property of the township.

LAST EXCURSION TO THE SEASHORE.

Via Pennsylvania Railroad for the Present Season.

The last Pennsylvania Railroad low-rate ten-day excursion for the present season from Lock Haven, Troy, Bellefonte, Williamsport, Mocanaqua, Sunbury, Mt. Carmel, Shenandoah, Lykens, Dauphin and principal intermediate stations (including stations on branch roads), to Atlantic City, Cape May, Wildwood, Ocean City, Sea Isle City, Avalon, Anglesea, or Holly Beach, will be run on Thursday, August 24.

Excursion tickets, good to return by regular trains within ten days, will be sold at very low rates. Tickets to Atlantic City will be sold via the Delaware River Bridge Route, the only all-rail line, or via Market Street Wharf, Philadelphia.

Stop-over can be had at Philadelphia either going or returning, within limit of ticket.

For information in regard to specific rates and time of trains consult hand bills, or apply to agents, or E. S. Harrar, Division Ticket Agent, Williamsport, Pa.

A Pleasant Outing.

At the Long homestead, in the Brush Valley narrows fourteen miles east of Rebersburg, was held a picnic Saturday a week. It was the crowning event of the season, socially speaking, making it a "red letter day" for all. The day was delightfully spent in indulging in the usual picnic frivolities; readings were rendered by the Misses Maud Ard and Sarah E. Meyer also by Messrs. Wilbert Chambers and Ralph Brown. One of the interesting features was the excellent repast furnished by the young ladies. Those present were the Misses Maud Ard, of Philadelphia; Esther and Maud Luern, of Erie; Carolyn Hoy, of Atlantic City; Salome Fishburn, of Bellefonte; Sarah K. Meyer, of Booneville; Mabelle and Celia Brungart, Rebecca Moyer, Mary and Sarah E. Meyer and Mayme Wolfe, of Rebersburg; Messrs. John Bibighaus, Clarence Hursh, Frank Ruhl and Ralph Brown, of Mifflinburg; Wilbert Chambers, of Pittsburg; Clarence Garbrick, of Philadelphia; Lee Scholl, of Middleton, Conn.; Chas. O. Frank and S. C. Brungart, of Rebersburg. Miss Meyer chaperoned the crowd.

Prank of Lightning.

A severe thunder storm passed over Nippenose Valley Friday evening. A bolt of lightning struck the house of William Bower, at Rauchtown, and did light damage to the structure. The ball of fire came down the chimney and stovepipe and tore things up generally in the kitchen. Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Hummell, of Philadelphia, were in the room at the time, and the latter had a narrow escape from death. Her clothing was burned and partially torn, while the shoe on her right foot was ripped off. A hole was burned in the bottom of her foot and the skin on her body was singed in places.

After doing this damage, the ball of fire crashed through a window, breaking several panes of glass. It then ran along the wire fence to the gate, through which Mr. Bower and his daughter were entering, having just returned from a trip to the woods for huckleberries. Both were knocked down and severely stunned, while one of the mules of the team which brought them home, also fell over in his tracks.

Girl Burns to Death.

The little son being missed from the home of William Huey, at Allensville, Mifflin county, Friday night, Mrs. Huey and Miss Grace Rudy took a lighted lantern and started to the barn in search.

They ascended to the oats mow, a short distance from the granary and hay mow adjoining, a deep narrow opening being between. Miss Rudy, not noticing it, fell to the bottom and the lantern exploded, starting a blaze at once.

The unfortunate girl called for help, but there was no possible way of rescue. Mrs. Huey, almost frantic, was compelled to flee to save herself. The girl was burned beyond recognition and the barn with its contents destroyed.

When a wagon was being removed from the shed to save it the boy was found asleep in the bed. Miss Rudy was twenty years old.

Prohibition State Convention.

For the benefit of those desiring to attend the State Convention of the Prohibition party to be held at Williamsport, Pa., August 22 and 23, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Williamsport from all stations on its lines in the State of Pennsylvania, August 21 and 22, good returning until August 25, inclusive, at rate of single fare for the round trip.

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS.

Odd Fellows reunion to-day (Thursday.)

Whooping cough is causing trouble among the children at Lemont.

Mrs. Bernard L. Brown, nee Riter, is at the home of her father, in this place.

Mrs. Carrie Heckert, nee Tibbens and her husband, have changed their place of residence from Canonsburg to Morganza.

W. K. Heim, of Loysville, has purchased the general store of W. T. Horton, at Reedsville. Mr. Horton will be retained.

The projectors of the National Bank of New Berlin are having a banking building erected in the central part of that growing town.

Carpenter Aaron Thomas devotes much of his time to growing rabbits. At present he has almost two hundred of the cotton tails.

Mrs. Lucy Henney, of Centre Hall, took advantage of the Atlantic City excursion, last Thursday, and is at the seashore at this time.

Saturday the members of the United Evangelical church, of Lemont, and their friends, will hold a picnic near the Centre Furnace Mill.

Elmer Shaffer, the telegraph operator at the Pennsylvania and Erie Railroad, at Montandon, who was bitten by a mad dog, is being treated at the Pasteur Institute, New York.

"Dinkey" number three is now in use on the Richley lumber job in the Seven Mountains. The tracks skirt the mountains for miles and carry large quantities of lumber to Milroy.

Dr. A. A. Killian was elected principal of the Lock Haven public schools. Dr. Killian for three years was superintendent of the Lansford (Carbon county) schools. He also taught school at Watsontown.

A medicant who had received license to beg on the streets of Altoona was found to have on his person a bank account estimated at $60,000 and papers indicating that he owned a magnificent residence in Pottstown.

Randall Musser, a graduate of Pennsylvania State College, and employed as a civil engineer with the Frick Coal Company, at Leckrone, Fayette county, is spending his vacation at Millheim. He is a son of F. P. Musser, Esq., of Millheim.

John A. Slack, of Potters Mills, called at the Reporter office the other day to advance his subscription for another year. While here he related about some speedy threshing done at his barn by Mr. Harshbarger—forty-one bushels of wheat were threshed in forty minutes.

The decision published in the Reporter concerning the sale of cigarettes, cigars, soft drinks, etc., on Sunday, was misinterpreted. The article stated that the sale of these articles, in the case stated, did not involve a disturbance of the peace. The legality of selling on Sunday was not decided in that particular instance.

Misses Margaret and Luticia Goodhart, of Centre Hall, and Miss Myra Goodhart, are at Atlantic City, where they will be met by Miss Sarah Goodhart, of Cleveland, and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Goodhart, of Altoona. They are daughters and son of Mrs. Mary Goodhart, of Centre Hall, and are having a sort o' reunion on the beach.

William Yeager, the Snyder county "pauper" with a bank account of several thousand dollars, and who is receiving a pension of $30 per month, will be obliged to pay back to the state $1,234 for maintenance at the Danville Asylum. In some manner he was sent to the asylum as a pauper, costing the county $1.75 per week. When insane people have property, the state charges $5.00 per week for maintenance.

All good horses go to horse heaven. That's settled. But the livery horse, the horse that is driven or ridden by the heartless driver—up-hill and down-hill and on the level—at his greatest speed, should have an extra groom in the land of the departed steeds. And if there is any use whatever for a real hell, such as was believed to exist in the good old days, a hell of hot coal, it is for the man who doesn't have enough sense to properly drive a noble, biddable horse.

The tract of land recently purchased by the borough from Samuel Bruss, on which is located the "Laurel Spring," was staked off and plainly marked, to avoid any dispute in the future. At the present time the reservoir is receiving only about the one-half of the water given out by that spring. While the water supply has been ample, it might be policy, in time of plenty, to arrange for the full supply of water furnished by the spring mentioned. There are seasons of the year when this work cannot be done.

PEACE PLANS MATERIALIZING

Japanese Appear to Be More Conciliatory in Their Attitude.

M. WITTE CLAIMS A VICTORY.

Official Statement Issued Shows That the Envoys Have Found the Demands of the Japanesse and the Counter Propositions of the Russians Not Incompatible With a Compromise.

Although the Japanese plenipotentiaries wanted to work on Sunday, they followed the example set by the Russians and attended service at an Episcopal church.

The conference failed to reach an agreement Saturday on the condition providing for the recognition of Japan's preponderating position in Korea.

Strong outside influences are at work on both sides, and the plan of having Russia practically satisfy Japan's claim of reimbursement for the cost of the war by purchase of the Japanese military evacuation of Sakhalin continues to be advanced.

It is reported that representatives of the banking-houses of Kuhn, Loeb & Co. and Seligman & Co. will consult with M. Witte and Baron Rosen in regard to negotiating a Russian loan to pay an indemnity or purchase the evacuation of Sakhalin.

The session of the conference set for Sunday was postponed until Monday.

Portsmouth, N. H. (Special).—Actual peace negotiations between Russia and Japan are well under way. The prospects for a settlement of the existing differences in the Far East have grown much brighter. Pessimism is disappearing and hope is gradually taking its place.

At noon the hour of the crisis that was to determine the question of peace or war was fixed at 3 o'clock. At night the official announcement was made that several days will in all probability be consumed by the envoys in the discussion of the subject under consideration.

That topic was the first clause of the Japanese demand. What it is can only be conjectured.

The Russian envoys advocated publicity of deliberations. The Japanese opposed it. Hence the present mystery.

It is announced that the cession of Sakhalin is not now under consideration.

Inasmuch as several days may be required to reach a decision, it is suggested that the proposed limitation of Russian naval strength in the Pacific is the present bone of contention.

The most gratifying augur in favor of peace is the announcement by M. Witte's secretary that the Japanese envoys have shown a disposition to treat for peace in a conciliatory attitude, and that they manifest a disposition toward moderation.

It was 7 o'clock P. M. before the envoys left their quarters in the general storehouse building at the navy yard.

The Japanese arrived first at the hotel, and immediately repaired to their apartments, where they made ready for dinner.

Mr. Sato, the envoys' spokesman, made the Russian apartments the storm center for the correspondents by announcing that Mr. Karastovicz had been delegated to issue a statement of the day's result. One hour later that official arrived and issued the following:

"The Japanese having received an answer, the first clause of the Japanese demands was under consideration when the conference adjourned at 7 o'clock, to meet Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock."

Mr. Karastovicz expressed with deep regret his inability to make public the condition under discussion.

He said that the Japanese had entered into the discussion in the best of spirit, that the utmost harmony prevailed, and that the Japanese showed a disposition to treat the subject as persons desiring its satisfactory settlement.

M. Witte talked interestingly relative to the negotiations now in progress.

"The Japanese envoys made no formal answer to the answer submitted by my government," he said. "They suggested that we take up the demands point by point for discussion. While we had different ideas, we met their desires. There are twelve Japanese demands. Figuring up on two days' consideration for each, the length of the deliberations give promise of continuing twenty-four days at least.

"The subjects under discussion mean either war or peace. We shall do everything in our power to bring about peace. If the war continues, there will be the shedding of the blood of 100,000 more men. Then other countries may become involved."

M. Witte declared that he courted the fullest publicity of the terms and their discussion. He said he had come to the United States with the idea of taking the American people into his confidence, but he had been met with the objection of the Japanese to any such proceedings.

He said he wished to deny explicitly and categorically the report that Russia had at any of the sessions of the envoys suggested an armistice.

There is an impression that the plenipotentiaries have reserved the strongly contested terms of the Japanese until the last, and that those of the most importance, such as Korean protectorate, evacuation of Manchuria, fishing and mining rights in and about Sakhalin and Siberia, transfer of Russian leases on the Liao-yang peninsula and cession of the Chinese Eastern Railway, are now to be considered and acted upon first. This action in taking the course of the least resistance would indicate a sincere desire on the part of the envoys of the two belligerent nations to adjust their differences.

THE GENERAL STORES BUILDING, PORTSMOUTH (N. H.) NAVY YARD.
(Where the Russian and Japanese Peace Commissioners are holding their meetings.)

12 KILLED IN COLLISION

Passenger and Freight Trains in a Crash.

THE ENGINEER'S WATCH WAS SLOW.

Wreck Due to a Misunderstanding of Orders or Disobedience on the Part of the Engineer of the Freight—Victims Mostly Laborers, Who Were Dozing in the Smoking Car and Were Hurled Through the Coach.

Cleveland (Special).—A fast eastbound passenger train on the Nickel Plate road collided with a westbound freight train at Kishman, Ohio, near Vermillion, resulting in the death of 12 persons, while at least 25 others were injured, eight of whom will probably die.

The wreck, according to the officials of the company, was caused by a misunderstanding of orders or neglect to obey them on the part of the crew of the freight train.

The engineer and fireman of the freight train saved themselves by jumping as soon as they saw the passenger train coming.

Aside from the engineer, the men killed on the passenger train were all riding in the smoking car at the head of the train, and were mostly foreign laborers in the employ of the Standard Oil Company on their way from Fort Seneca, Ohio, to Brookfield, Ohio, in charge of a foreman. Engineer Poole, of the passenger train, was killed at his post while trying to reach for the airbrake after seeing the headlight of the freight train. His fireman, Haefner, saved himself by jumping.

The high speed of the passenger train threw its locomotive and first three coaches over on the engine of the freight train, telescoping the smoker and the car following. The forward cars of the freight train were splintered to fragments.

Of the passengers in the smoker none escaped injury. Fortunately, there was no fire, but the heavy timbers of the wrecked cars pinned down many and prevented them from getting out until assistance arrived.

Doctors were hurried to the scene on a special train from Lorain, and the injured were immediately taken to Lorain and placed in the hospital there. The dead were conveyed to the morgue at Lorain, awaiting identification and disposition.

When the trains came together almost everybody in the smoker was dozing. The sudden jar hurled them out of their seats into the aisle and threw several persons to the roof and sides of the car, which seemed all at once to crunch in like a paper bag, pinning down each passenger in the position in which he had been caught. The passengers in the second car escaped more easily, as there the violence of the impact was not so severe, although few got off without cuts, bruises, sprains or broken bones. The two rear cars were sleepers, and they withstood the shock without suffering serious harm, no passenger in either of them being injured.

The men on the train who escaped injury worked as well as they could without tools to save life and limb, and the residents in the sparsely settled vicinity soon arrived to help. The sleepers were used for the accommodation of some of the injured, as were seveal houses near the siding. The officials of the Nickle Plate, as soon as they learned of the accident, ordered all possible assistance given and no expense spared in taking care of the injured.

President Caniff, of the Nickle Plate, stated that from the information in the hands of the officials the freight train crew had orders to go on the siding at Kishman, and there await the passage of the passenger train. Why this was not done in time to permit the passenger train to go by, or a flagman sent out, has not yet been learned. A rigid investigation is, however, being made by the railway officials.

ZIEGLER ARCTIC PARTY RESCUED.

Relief Expedition Came in Nick of Time—No New Record Made.

Honningsvaag, Norway (By Cable).—The Arctic steamer Terra Nova, which went to the relief of the Fiala-Ziegler polar expedition, has rescued Anthony Fiala and all the others connected with the expedition with the exception of one Norwegian seaman, who died from natural causes. The ship America, which took out the expedition, was crushed in the ice early in the winter 1903-04, and lost with a large part of her coal and provisions.

The 37 members of the expedition who returned to safety are all in good health, despite their privations and trying experiences and their prolonged imprisonment in the Arctic, the expedition having been severed from all communication with the outside world since July, 1903.

The expedition reached 82 degrees and 13 minutes north latitude.

Bennington Memorial Association.

San Diego, Cal. (Special).—At a meeting of the board of control of the Bennington Memorial Association an advisory board, containing the names of citizens prominent in the state and nation, were selected. The names include President Roosevelt, Secretary of the Navy Bonaparte, Ex-Secretary of the Navy Morton, the president of the Y. M. C. A., Miss Helen Gould; Admirals Goodrich and McCalla, Governor Pardee, Senators Perkins and Flint, of California, and the eight congressmen from this state. Notifications of the appointment will be sent, and it is hoped that the majority of those named will accept.

Captured Three Bandits.

Tacoma, Wash. (Special).—In a running fight, during which a number of shots were exchanged, Special Agent William G. Cumming, of the Northern Pacific Railway, captured three men who had attempted to hold up an eastbound Northern Pacific passenger train near Sumner. The men threatened to shoot Conductor Michael Helfrich. Detective Cumming and any other person who might offer resistance, but the train was stopped and Cumming chased and captured the men.

THE NEWS IN SHORT ORDER

Domestic.

In New York Mrs. Rose Schoomke, a former trapeze performer, who was deserted by her husband, tried to hang herself, but the rope broke. Then she drank a liquid in which matches had been soaked. Before the poison became effective she tried to throw herself from a fifth-story window.

In a speech at a Confederate reunion at McGregor, Tex., Senator Bailey decried the remarks of President Alderman, of the University of Virginia, in belittling modern statesmen of the South.

It is stated that the fund necessary to meet the expense in the case of the appeal of Johann Hoch, the Chicago "Bluebeard," has not been presented to the court.

Sam Grice, a former British soldier, who once saved the life of General Roberts in battle, was sentenced at Salt Lake City to 12 years in prison for burglary.

Edward Drouin died under mysterious circumstances at Peoria, Ill. He was the son of a former member of the faculty of the University of Pennsylvania.

Twenty firemen were overcome by an explosion of tanks containing fats in a New York soap factory. They were rescued by their comrades.

At Frederic, Mich., Mrs. Hedrich was arrested on the charge of the murder of her two little boys.

President Jordon, of the Southern Cotton Association, has demanded the resignation of Vice President Peters of the organization.

The Citizens' Union of New York has issued a call for the nomination of District Attorney Jerome for mayor.

President Roosevelt addressed the mineworkers and the Catholic Total Abstinence Union at Wilkesbarre.

General Lyon succeeds General Carnahan as head of the Uniformed Rank of Knights of Pythias.

Eijiro Tagasugi, professor of English at the University of Tokio, says Russia must make peace.

Capt. Jerome B. Osier, believed to be the oldest resident of Illinois, died at Chicago.

Oscar Benson, a policeman, shot and killed his brother-in-law in Chicago.

The boilermakers of the Chicago Great Western shops have struck.

The Chicago police will pursue the gamblers who have taken refuge on a floating poolroom on Lake Michigan with a gunboat.

Two locomotives sank into a bottomless pit by the giving away of a section of track at Crawford Junction, N. Y.

The fire in the Humble oil field has burned itself out. The loss is estimated at $350,000, with partial insurance.

The third attempt to kidnap the young son of Governor Otero, of New Mexico, has been defeated.

New records for the Army were established at the tournament in progress at Fort Sheridan.

President Harper, of the University of Chicago, will visit John D. Rockefeller, in Cleveland.

An interchureh conference or federation will be held in New York, November 15.

The applicants for lands on the Uintah Reservation have increased.

An assignee has been appointed for the Western Bank at Denver.

Mr. J. P. Morgan called at Sagamore Hill and had a conference with the President with reference to the Hankow Railroad in China, which that government wants to buy from Mr. Morgan's firm.

The provincial governors of the Philippines, through Governor Wright, asked for a number of reforms. The congressional committee gave a hearing to the sugar planters.

Miss Ethel Delaney was arrested in Louisville, charged with complicity in murdering Cecil Crutchfield near Stanford, Ky.

The second annual encampment and reunion of the Spanish War Veterans will be held at Milwaukee, September 9.

It is authoritatively announced in New York that Senator Gorman will not be a candidatte for re-election.

Frederick W. Vanderbilt will build another dormitory for the Yale Sheffield Scientific School.

Fifteen electric light and gas companies in Luzerne county, Pa., have been consolidated.

Foreign.

Parliament was prorogued with a speech from the throne which comparatively few members of the two houses were present to hear read.

The relief steamer Terra Nova arrived at Tromsoe, Norway, with Anthony Fiala and the members of the Zeigler polar expedition.

It was officially announced that 118 officers and men surrendered at Nioro, Sakhalin Island.

The announcement that German bankers have formed a syndicate to lend $2,500,000 to the Sultan of Morocco has caused resentment in Paris, where it is regarded as a violation of the status quo agreement.

The police were busy arresting Jewish Socialists in Warsaw. Many disturbances were reported in the surrounding districts.

Allen White, an American, was killed at Pelus, in France, by falling from the cliffs.

Secretary of War Taft and Miss Alice Roosevelt visited the trade schools in Manila.

Wu Ting-fang, former Chinese minister to the United States, and now vice president of the Board of Affairs at Peking, in an interview, says that the Americans are too harsh in their treatment of Chinese tourists and students. He says his government does not object to our exclusion of coolies.

The police authorities have arrested 168 workmen in Lodz, Poland, who were leaders in the last strike.

Russians believe that their position has been strengthened by the granting of reforms at home. The effect will be to bring to the support of the government influential factors hitherto indifferent or antagonistic.

The Russian force operating east of Mandarin road advanced August 5 to near village of Chagon, south of Taulu. The Japanese resumed offensive and turned both flanks of Russian force, obliging it to retire.

King Edward celebrated the anniversary of his coronation by reviewing the combined French and British fleets, aggregating about 70 ships, at Portsmouth.

FEVER LESS MALIGNANT

Virulency of Scourage Now Believed to Be Lessening.

THE SITUATION IS WELL IN HAND.

Embargoes Have Been Taken From Freight—Change Attributed to the Marine Hospital Service and Proclamation of the Governor—An Example Is to Be Made of Physicians Who Refuse to Report Fever Cases.

New Orleans (Special).—With the death rate remaining lower than in previous visitations of yellow fever, the feeling among health officers and the laity continues hopeful. Although the resent visitation has been prevalent long enough to assume a virulent form, the fever is apparently less malignant than it was when it first appeared. Doctors now believe that if the first cases had been taken hold of at once and subjected to proper treatment the total deaths would have been much fewer. The death rate for some time has been steadily declining, showing the results of efficient scientific treatment. At the beginning it exceeded 25 per cent., but now has dropped to 17 per cent. In 1878 throughout the epidemic it was about 29 per cent.

The heavy death rate at first is believed to have been due to the fact that the stricken Italians courted death, either by their refusal to summon doctors or by refusing to follow directions given them.

Many cases which have been reported lately, except among Italians, are mild in character and readily respond to treatment. However, though the conditions present a favorable aspect, the physicians realize that two months or more remain during which the disease may have to be combatted.

Dr. White said that while the work of thorough organization of his forces is rapidly crystallizing, he will not be able to make an announcement of the details of his campaign for some days. One of the details of the plan will be, it is said, inspection, not only of every house, but of every room in New Orleans. Dr. White said that he had had less interference from politicians in New Orleans than he had ever met with before in similar situations. He had talked over the situation with Mayor Behrman, and the Mayor had assured him that the Marine Hospital force could count on having a free hand in fighting the fever.

Three additional surgeons arrived to join the staff of Dr. White, who now has enough surgeons to keep in touch with every section of the city.

Dr. Souchon is making up a list of nurses and physicians who are willing to do service outside of New Orleans. Bon Ami, Patterson and other points where there is fever have asked for scientific help, and the authorities will make every effort to furnish it.

FOUGHT INSANE MAN.

Lighthouse Keeper's Terrible Experience For Seven Days.

New York (Special).—Stratford Shoals Light, and perhaps the big Long Island Sound steamers which are guided by it, were saved last week through the heroic struggle which the keeper of the light, Merrill Hulse, made for seven days against an insane man, marooned alone with the keeper and determined to extinguish the light.

The madman was Hulse's brother keeper, Julius Coster, who went crazy and tried to destroy the light. In attempts to get at the light Coster wanted to kill Hulse.

The story of the lone keeper's defense of the Stratford Shoals was made public when the head keeper, Gilbert L. Ruland, who was ashore on a vacation last week, handed in his official report of last week's happenings. The lighthouse is situated on Long Island, midway between Bridgeport and Port Jefferson.

Hulse had no warning that he was living with an insane man until one day Coster attacked him with a weapon made of a razor lashed to the end of a long pole. The keeper overpowered Coster, and repeatedly afterward, during the first two days of his companion's madness, was forced to fight for his own life. Then Coster's mania took a new turn, and one afternoon Hulse found him with a hammer and chisel trying to cut away the walls of the light house. That night the light suddenly stopped revolving, and its keeper ran to the lamp room to find Coster with an ax about to destroy the lenses. He fought his way into the room and saved the light, and from that time on, for fully five days, doing two men's work, the brave keeper was forced both to guard the lenses day and night, and to fight many times for his own life, and finally toward the end of this period another burden was laid on him. As Coster's delirium wore off he became desirous of committing suicide, so that when removed from the light house he bore self-inflicted gashes all over his neck, which only Hulse's faithful watchfulness had kept from becoming fatal. He was taken to a hospital.

Burned Him at the Stake.

Sulphur Springs, Texas (Special).—A negro charged with assaulting the daughter of a widow near this place was caught and burned at the stake in the courthouse square here. The assault was committed by the negro early in the morning. When the town was alarmed, about an hour later, a posse of armed horsemen went immediately in pursuit of the assailant. The country was scoured in all directions, and the negro was finally captured.

Mint Official's Suicide.

Philadelphia (Special).—Robert S. Huston, who for a number of years held the position of chief clerk in the United States mint here, committed suicide some time during the night by hanging in the cellar of his home. Several months ago Mr. Huston suffered a stroke of paralysis, and, although he recovered sufficiently to return to the mint, he did not grow entirely well. He was 48 years old.

SIDELIGHTS OF NEW YORK

NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.

Annie O'Shaughnessy, a pretty girl of 20, is a prisoner in the Hudson Street Hospital, charged with having attempted suicide. Disappointment in a love affair is given by Miss O'Shaughnessy as the cause for her act. She told the police that she left her home, at 240 West One Hundred and Twenty-first street, where she is employed as a servant, determining to end her troubles in the river. She went down to Chambers street, where she boarded a North River ferryboat. She waited until the boat had reached a point about 300 feet from the shore, and then jumped overboard. Michael Nelson was at work on the deck of a steam lighter and saw the girl leap. He jumped into the water after her and reached her in time.

With seven cents in his pocket, the remains, he said, of a fortune of half a million dollars, a man with flowing white side whiskers appealed to Commissioner of Charities Henry Sharp at New Rochelle to be committed to the Westchester County Almshouse.

The old man said he was J. T. Rapelee, 82 years old. He wore a silk hat, patent leather shoes and frock coat. He was at one time, he said, a New York broker and the head of a house in Wall Street. Commissioner Sharp committed him to the poorhouse as he requested, but sent him to the institution at East View in a carriage.

"He called me Nan Patterson and I slapped his face, Judge," said Louisa Ehlers, of Jersey City, to Judge Manning in Second Criminal Court.

"You were justified in doing so," was the Court's comment.

"But she called me Mr. Pewee," said Thomas McAdams, whom the girl charged with slandering her.

The dispute was finally ended by dismissing the whole case, but not before Miss Ehlers declared her conviction that Nan Patterson was guilty.

"Why?" asked the Court.

"Because the papers said so," was the woman's logical reply.

Coroner William O'Gorman of the Bronx, who was conspicuous in the investigation of the General Slocum disaster, had half an hour in the water under circumstances hardly comfortable. In the first place, he weighs 252 pounds. He slipped and fell from his yacht Dada, near Hunter Island, and when he came up started to swim ashore, as he thought. But he mistook the route in the dark, and after half an hour struck his head on a rock near Orchard Beach, and was stunned for a moment. When he recovered his senses he walked ashore in shallow water.

"Motorman, you will stop this car, if you please?" said a mild-mannered and smiling man of about 35 years, as he poked a gun into the face of Considine Watson, crossing the bridge on a Third-avenue trolley.

"What!" exclaimed the motorman.

"Right here," said the smiling gun man, and the motorman stopped. With a polite thank you, the man with the gun stepped off, walked lightly to the railing and jumped under to the river. His body has not been recovered.

"You got just what you deserved," said Magistrate Moss in Essex Market Court to Abram Enzwag, who charged Jennie Katz with stabbing him in the head and legs. "The case is dismissed."

Enzwag was formerly an ironer in a clothing establishment at 168½ Delancey street, where the girl is employed. According to her story, he persisted in annoying her and tried to take her arm, when she stabbed him with a pair of shears.

Wants Japan's Good Will.

Peking (By Cable).—The note addressed by China to Japan, Russia, France and America, seeking representation in the peace conference, caused considerable annoyance to the Japanese, and China, it is stated, subsequently conveyed its regrets unofficially. China expressed the hope that Japan would not misconstrue its attitude, which, it was explained, was perfectly friendly.

Arcanum Council Will Meet August 30.

Boston, Mass. (Special).—W. O. Robson, supreme secretary of the Royal Arcanum, announced that the Supreme Council will meet at Put-in-Bay, Ohio, on August 30, to consider the developments growing out of the establishment of new rates. Forty-two representatives from the Grand Councils have signed a request made to Supreme Regent Wiggins that a special session be held.

Fell From the Cliffs.

Paris (By Cable).—Alan White, an American, 18 years old, was killed at Palus, in the Department of Cotes du Nord. He was caught in the tide while walking on the beach, and attempted to climb the cliffs. He reached the summit of the cliffs, but lost his hold and fell a hundred feet. Death was instantaneous.

LIVE WASHINGTON AFFAIRS.

Dr. Jacob H. Hollander, of the Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, who recently returned from Santo Domingo, has been appointed by the President as special commissioner to visit British and other colonial possessions in the West Indies in connection with his further inquiry into Santo Domingo affairs.

The Postmaster General has issued regulations governing the installation and custody of mail chutes in office buildings, hotels and other large structures.

The formal exercises accompanying the interment of the body of Paul Jones at Annapolis will not be held until next spring.

The Postoffice Department has decided that hereafter letter-boxes on rural delivery routes shall be numbered.

An alarming increase in typhoid fever is reported by the health officials.

Advices to the State Deparement say that the Chinese Chamber of Commerce is powerless to stop boycott on American goods.

Rear Admiral Charles E. Clark was retired from active service.

ON THE NATION'S DUTY.

President Roosevelt Outline's His Conception of It at Chautauqua Assembly.

Chautauqua, N. Y. (Special).—"Let us give President Roosevelt the Chautauqua salute at its best." With these words Bishop John H. Vincent closed his brief introduction of the President to the Chautauqua Assembly, and instantly 10,000 white handkerchiefs fluttered in the air over the heads of the vast audience in the great amphitheatre. It was an inspiring and beautiful sight, and as President Roosevelt stepped forward smiling, the audience rose as one person and cheered enthusiastically.

Some of the striking utterances in President Roosevelt's address were:

The Monroe doctrine is not a part of international law. But it is the fundamental feature of our entire foreign policy so far as the Western Hemisphere is concerned. We have not allowed it to become fossilized, but have adapted our construction of it to meet the growing, changing needs of this hemisphere. Fossilization, of course, means death, whether to an individual, a government or a doctrine.

The effort to prevent all restraint of competition, whether harmful or beneficial, has been ill-judged; what is needed is not so much the effort to prevent combinations as a vigilant and effective control of the combinations formed, so as to secure just and equitable dealing on their part alike toward the public generally, toward the smaller competitors and toward the wageworkers in their employ.

Many corporations show themselves honorably desirious to obey the law; but, unfortunately, some corporations, and very wealthy ones at that, exhaust every effort which can be suggested by the highest ability, or secured by the most lavish expenditure of money, to defeat the purposes of the laws on the statute books.

It must be understood that under no circumstances will the United States use the Monroe doctrine as a cloak for territorial aggression.

It has become our conviction that in some cases, such as that of at least certain of the beef packers recently indicted in Chicago, it is impossible to show leniency.

Legislation may be more drastic than I would prefer. If so, it must be distinctly understood that it will be because of the stubborn determination of some of the great combinations in striving to prevent the enforcement of the law as it stands by every device, legal and illegal.

The great corporations are themselves to blame if by their opposition to what is legal and just they foster the popular feeling which tells for such drastic action.

Shot Boy With Rifle.

Philadelphia (Special).—Frank Craig, aged 19 years, was shot and killed by Hugh Gahagan, aged 43 years, at Gahagan's home. The two had spent the night together, and are said to have been drinking heavily. It is believed they quarreled, but Gahagan was unable to give a coherent account of the tragedy. When the police entered the house they found Gahagan standing over Craig's body, holding a rifle.

FINANCIAL.

When one stock grows heavy it is let alone and another that has been neglected is taken hold of.

It is rumored that several large railroads are negotiating for freight cars to be delivered next year.

The July gross earnings of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company increased $80,000 over July of last year.

Many bankers and brokers are of the belief that the advance in Philadelphia Company is strictly on its merits.

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Snails Hard to Kill.

Snails are slow even when it comes to dying, and one naturalist who had mounted a shell upon a card was surprised to find four years later that the warm water employed in soaking the shell off the mount had revived the inmate, which he had long supposed to be dried and dead.

Several specimens in another collection were revived in a similar manner after they had lain in a drawer for some fifteen years. These had not been glued to a card, but had been left lying loose, and, though frequently handled, had shown no signs of life.

They were thrown into tepid water with the idea of cleaning the shells, but to the surprise of the owner the snails were found creeping about the basin when he returned to complete the task.

Umbrella Thief Had Nerve.

Capt. John R. Ricker of Lititz found on the front porch of his residence an umbrella to which was attached the following note: "Dear Friend—I have had this umbrella since July 4, 1876. Please excuse me for not returning it sooner, and have it fixed up as soon as possible, as I may need it again next Fourth. Friendly Yours."

FARM AND GARDEN

MILK AND VITALITY.

In his recent address to the Holstein-Eresian Association at Syracuse, N. Y., President Cortelyou of the association touched upon the vitality of cows and their milk. He said:

"The most important work of a public nature which, in my opinion will operate to advance the interest of owners of Holstein cattle, is the promulgation of a better knowledge among consumers of milk, of the dietetic value of the grade of milk produced by our cows. It is a well known fact that the offspring of those breeds of cattle whose milk is rich in butter fat are reared with the greatest difficulty. Such offspring appear to be deficient in vitality and especially subject to stomach and bowel troubles which are fatal in many cases; and it is now being more generally recognized by physicians and consumers that milk rich in butter fat is an improper food for young children and is deleterious in its effects and produces generally the same effects in human beings as in animals.

These results are now said by scientists to be due to several causes and primarily to the excess of fat in the milk, and in the case of children, particularly, are probably also due to the extraordinary character of the fat globules, which in these small breeds of cattle are extraordinary large, and entirely unlike those of Holstein milk which nearly corresponds with human milk in its solid contents.

It is also becoming widely recognized that the milk from the large and vigorous races of cattle specially Holstein's, possesses another quality, characterized by Professor Carlyle as vitality, and that this quality is communicated to the consumer, whether man or beast. Thus we have large, strong, vigorous calves when reared upon Holstein milk, and puny, weak ones from those reared upon milk rich in fat; and human beings, fed upon milk possessing the characteristics of Holstein milk, are likewise healthy, strong and vigorous.

The investigations of the Storrs Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station, as published in bulletin No. 31 wholly confirm these assertions and I commend this bulletin to you as worthy of most careful study.

Professor Carlyle was right in affirming that "there is such a thing as vitality in milk and that it is of equal, if not greater importance than its chemical composition, especially for the milk supply of cities, and there can be no question but that the vitality of the animal producing it.—Indiana Farmer.

HOW TO INOCULATE FOR ALFALFA.

Prof. Hopkins, of Illinois, one of the most distinguished soil experts of the country, advises in inoculating for alfalfa to use at least 100 pounds of inoculated soil to the acre. The soil should be scattered over the field, he says, with some degree of uniformity, but it is not like seeding grain, and it is not absolutely essential that every square yard in the field should receive its due portion of infected soil. Some care should be taken in spreading it over the higher places in the field, but if places should be missed on slopping land or on lower lands the bacteria will soon be carried over them by the surface drainage waters. Indeed, if all the watersheds in the field—that is all ridges and high places—are well inoculated the entire field will ultimately become infected, the bacteria being carried by soil washing, but the infection is more rapid of course, if the infected soil is spread over the entire field with some degree of uniformity when it is first applied.

If possible, the soil should be applied at about the time the alfalfa seed is sowed and then harrowed in with the seed, but it may be applied a month or two before sowing the alfalfa or at any time afterwards and it is not absolutely necessary that it be harrowed in, although that is advisable.

If applied to a field where the alfalfa is already a year or two old the infected soil may be mixed with the soil of the field by harrowing or disking (the disks being set straight, so as to cut off the alfalfa roots).

The infected soil may be applied in any way to get it over the field—as by hand (throwing it from the wagon), with an equal gate seeder, if the soil is dry enough and sufficiently well pulverized or an any other way which may be found convenient.

The results obtained during the past year fully confirm the results previously reported by the Illinois station concerning the importance and value of inoculation for alfalfa. The information which we now have strongly indicates that if it is provided with the proper bacteria alfalfa can be successfully grown on any soil where both corn and red clover are successfully crops.

HILLSIDE BROODER HOUSE WITH FLOOR.

The Connecticut station brooder house is described by F. H. Stoneburn, which has proved very successful. The house is built on a side hill, and its essential feature is an elevated chick floor, which is 3.5 feet above the level of the alley along the side of the building. This arrangement is secured by taking advantage of the hillside for the level of the chick floor and digging out the space for the alley as much as necessary. If built on the level the author notes that special attention must be paid to securing good drainage in the alley, which would then have to be dug below the surface. The elevated chick floor effects a saving in the amount of heat required to maintain a given temperature, since it diminishes the enclosed air space, which must be heated, and brings the chicks near the ceiling, the warmest part of the room.

Tests have shown that in cold weather the temperature at the level of the alley floor was fourteen degrees lower than at the chick floor. By building on a hillside an amount of side wall exposed to the weather is considerably diminished which is an advantage from the standpoint of heating. The plan followed has a disadvantage in that the chick pens are low, and so it was rather inconvenient for the attendant to enter them when it was necessary. — Massachuetts Ploughman.

CARE OF TOOLS.

Farmers make a great mistake if they fail to provide a place where the tools can be stored carefully and kept from the weather. So many farmers allow their hired help to be careless with the tools when they are through with them, to throw them down in the field where they must take the sun and the rain; or if carried to the tool house at all, are left with dirt on them, so that they will rust and ruin. This ought not to be so. Every tool, as it has served its purpose, should be cleaned and put in the tool house in its place. It can then be readily found when needed, and will be fit for use. Carelessness with the tools means loss of time and money. A plow costs eight dollars; the hired man leaves it in the field; it rusts and the consequence is it requires a half day to clean it, for it refuses to turn dirt when rusty. The plow is injured, whereas, five minutes would have sufficed to clean it and put it away, thus keeping the plow uninjured and saving the wages of the hired man while there should have been a lot of work done with the plow. All the tools should be kept in order. Nothing should be laid away out of repair. It will save your temper as well as your cash, if a rule is adopted to care for the tools properly and keep them always ready for use. As soon as you are done with a mower, binder or harrow, put it under shelter. The small tools should be kept in a tool chest; they are then all together and ready for use. These are seemingly insignificant matters; but they count for much in the aggregate. Loss of time means loss of money and tools cost too much to be neglected in this way.—Mrs. Lou J. Duncan, in the Epitomist.

GOSLINGS PAY WELL.

Young goslings should be put on a lot where the grass is vigorous and tender, and should be given besides all the meal and shorts they will eat and some meat scraps. They are allowed to run in a half-acre lot until the flight feathers reach the root of the tail, then they are kept in a small enclosure with some shade and fed for about three weeks all the corn meal with one quart of meat scraps that they will eat in the morning and whole corn at night. They have all the water they will drink and a box of clear sharp sand.

When ready for market, they should be dressed carefully with the head on and leaving the flight feathers and about half the neck unpicked. They should bring from eighteen to twenty-five cents per pound and average nine pounds each. A goose that will lay fifty eggs a season is almost as profitable as the average cow. An extra profit is the feathers which amount to about seventy cents per ten goslings.—Massachuestts Ploughman.

A HANDY CONTRIVANCE.

To hold cow's tail while being milked, string a wire above and a little back of the cow and then take three or four short wires about 20 to 24 inches long and make a hook on each end, one small one to go on the wire and the other to hook on the tail.—Etna Burgress, in The Epitomist.

The Word "Jinrikisha."

The word jinrikisha comes from three Japanese roots, jin-riki-sha, meaning respectively man, power, carriage, but it is not of Japanese origin. So recently as 1870 the inconvenience of the slow, lumbering two-wheeled carts turned the thoughts of English residents to the ease with which the hardy natives could propel a lightly constructed vehicle, and one was invented, some say by a missionary, others by a newspaper proprietor's son. Ever since then the heavy carts have been entirely dispensed with.

The population of Chicago is now 2,272,700 people.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

We need a large increase of honest men in the public service to take the place of the scramps who are selling out asserts the Louisville Courier-Journal.

Utica, N. Y., has been offering ten cents a quart for caterpillars. If this sort of thing keeps up caterpillars will soon have to be included in the census, as one of the special industries, thinks a contemporary.

The St. Louis Republic says: "Two things, the abating of the fever for money getting and the impressment upon corporate organization of moral responsibility, mean much to the times; if indeed these alterations would not wholly solve the great problem of dishonesty upon which discussion has siezed. The abatement of the money madness—that is, the greed which brooks no interference, legal, moral or otherwise—seems to be approximately at hand.

It seems that the rush of prospectors from the Transvaal and the Cape to the newly found and important gold veins in Madagascar has been so great that the Government of Madagarcar has prohibited the work of prospecting and the exploitation of precious metals and stones in the soil which remains free, remarks the New York Sun. Rights of priority that can be proved are maintained, so that prospectors can eventually claim permission of prospect. Legislation and new regulations are to follow.

Japan is evidently giving America and British firms the preference in the placing of her large orders now being given out, and doubtless will continue that policy says the New York Sun. German industrialists are keenly disappointed, for they were confidently expecting a big slice of the heavy Japanese business at hand and in sight. Only a few German firms have, so far, received orders of moment from Japan. About the largest they have secured is one for 188 coupled locomotives and tenders, of the value of $1,750,000.

A story is told by Robert Odgen about a friend of his, not long dead, who held securities in a certain railroad relates Collier's. Being told, and from a source to leave no doubt, that the road was about to collapse, he refused to sell, not wishing to shift the loss upon a purchaser. He had no large amount of money, but he was rich in something better. With all the venal trickery that is being exposed, we lean to a belief that men like this exist in America in larger numbers today than they did five, a dozen, or twenty years ago. We hope there will soon be fewer with salaries like those of Senator Depew, and fewer corporations which seek to have their lawyers in the Legislature. "Old-fashioned honesty," Mr. Cleveland says, but he must be referring to some period before the Civil War. Americans are now endeavoring to halt a plunging commercial dishonesty that took its impetus with the immense pratical activity of the nation after '65. In a sense we are a new nation from that date. President Eliot has spoken of business as one of the learned professions, and so in many of its divisions, it is coming to be.

Faculties must be exercised or they will not grow, says O. S. Maisden, in Success Magazine. Nature is too good an economist to allow us to keep any faculty or function which we do not employ. We can have just what we use and that will constantly increase. Everything else will be gradually taken away from us. Man becomes strong and powerful and broad just in proportion to the extend and healthfulness of the activity of his faculties, and it must not be one-sided, not an exercise of one or two faculties or one set of faculties, or the man will topple over. Balance in life comes from the healthful exercise of all the faculties. One reason why we have so many one-sided men in this country is because they pursue one idea, exercise one side of their nature, and of course, they cannot retain their balance. This is one of the curses of specialties. They are a good thing for the race, but death to the individual who pursues his specialty at the expense of the development of the all-round man.

The Working Class.

A traveller in the mountain country of East Tennessee stopped one noon at a cabin, says the New York Sun. In the shade of the house sat a comfortable-looking, middle-aged man, apparently at leisure. A dozen dogs loafed about him.

"Can I have dinner here?" asked the traveller.

"I reckon so," drawled the man, "when the old woman turns up."

The "old woman" came in after a while, leading a weary-looking mule, and wiping perspiration from beneath her big sunbonnet. She split some wood, built a fire, fetched some water, and soon had dinner ready.

"You have a fine country here," said the traveller, as they sat down to the meal.

"Stranger," said the woman, "I reckon it's about as fine as they is for men and dogs, but it's mighty hard on women and mules."

When the Sultan of Turkey "commands" a theatrical performance he orders a number of his own jokes to be interpolated.

THE KEYSTONE STATE

Latest News of Pennsylvania Told in Short Order.

Miss Rose B. Sheridan, who was graduated from the Woman's Medical College in Philadelphia, in June, has received notice that she passed the State Medical Board Examination. Simultaneously with this announcement came another apprising Dr. Sheridan of her appointment as resident physician at the Alleghany City Hospital. Miss Sheridan is the only woman doctor in the Bethlehems.

The potato crop in Media will be small. Farmers who have tested their patches say that the crop will not be half as large as last year.

Reports from various parts of Clarion county all indicate that the crops will be the heaviest for several years, with the exception of the apple crop, which is a failure.

Falling from a wagon, Jonas H. Oyler, of Bendersville, was injured on his arm and blood poison developed, causing his death.

While visiting a friend William Rush, a merchant of Slatington, was stricken with apoplexy, and in falling struck his head heavily against a bookcase, inflicting injuries which, in connection with the stroke, may result fatally.

G. H. Dodge, of Boston, has been appointed general superintendent of the Kennett Square, West Chester and Wilmington trolley road, to succeed Charles F. Shelton, who resigned to go to Fort Wayne, Ind.

With the remark, "I'll come back in a few moments," a stranger disappeared after having waited for a time in Frank Pryor's drug store, in Morrisville, while the proprietor was busy with other purchasers. Later it was discovered that a $20 tray of gold fountain pens was gone. The man has not since been seen here.

Surgeons having refused to amputate the right leg of James Duffy, aged 58, of Meadville, he decided to get rid of the member in spite of them. He had suffered for a long time from a fever sore on the leg. He went to the railroad track, and, placing the leg on the track, waited for a train. When the engine was half a dozen feet from him a bystander tried to pull him out of danger, but the wheel caught his toes and crushed them.

Deputy Commissioner H. L. Banzhoff, representing the Dairy and Food Commissioner, made informations against fourteen Pittsburg butchers who handle meat furnished by Western packers. Informations are also to be made against Washington county dealers. The men are charged with dealing in meat that had been treated with poisonous preservatives.

A locomotive on the Pennsylvania Railroad exploded in the lower end of the Altoona yards, killing Fireman John H. Lucas and fatally injuring Engineer Nicolas H. Murphy, who died on his way to the Altoona Hospital. Both resided in that city. The bursting of the air hose caused fourteen cars to pile up, and a train on an opposite track plunged into the debris, slightly injuring Conductor Halihan, of Harrisburg, and Engineer John H. Parsons, of Tyrone.

Having by means of the X-ray located a large broken needle in the left foot of Harry Price, of Shenandoah, Dr. J. Spencer Callen lanced the sole of the foot and removed the needle, which was parallel with and under the bone. The patient at once experienced relief. Price did not know what was wrong with his foot and was surprised to learn the cause of the trouble. He is unable to account for the presence of the needle, but thinks it entered his body while he was sewing carpet some years ago.

Owing to the many petty thefts which have been committed in North Wales by tramps and umbrella menders and the great number of intoxicated persons arrested and confined in the borough lockup who do not pay their fines, Council has ordered that such prisoners be hobbled and put at work on the streets until their fine is paid. A meager diet, just enough to keep them from starving, is to be given them, and they will be under the authority of the Street Commissioner.

John S. Francies, a carpenter, of Homestead, returned from Panama, where he spent six months along the route of the new canal. He declares reports of yellow fever have been greatly exaggerated, and says the Government is doing all in its power to prevent the spread of the disease and has succeeded in keeping it down. He asserts that the awful native intoxicants are responsible for the greater part of the sickness.

The employees of the Dutton Silk Mill at Avoca struck because their employer would not give them tickets for an excursion to Lake Lodore.

Burgess Snyder, of Mossic, caused the arrest of sixteen employees of Rocky Glen Park on charges of violating the Sunday laws. Thirteen were fined $4 and costs, and the other three were committed to jail in default of bail. Later they were released on habeas corpus proceedings, the Court holding that the burgess exceeded his powers when he issued warrants and conducted hearings. Those arrested say they will sue the borough of Mossic and Burgess Snyder for damages for false arrest.

Patrick Haffey, while being brought from Mt. Carmel to Shamokin, to appear before a justice to answer a criminal charge, broke away from a constable in a trolley car and leaped through a window to the ground. The car was running rapidly, and Haffey landed on his face. He quickly crawled into a clump of bushes close by, and when the car backed to the scene the constable could not find the man.

George Lengel, of Ephrata, died of blood poisoning, which resulted from scratching a small sore on his ear. He was 78 years of age and a prominent retired farmer.

A camp of Spanish-American and Philippine War Veterans has been organized at Shenandoah, with John Tempest, president; John Bierstein, secretary, and William Bees, treasurer.

Henry W. Fusseiman, for the past twelve years clerk in the office of the Commissioners of Lehigh County, has resigned, having secured other employment.

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7 21	2 41	6 51		Nigh	9 07	4 57	9 27
7 26	2 46	6 56		Zion	9 01	4 51	9 21
7 33	2 53	7 03		Hecla Park	8 55	4 45	9 15
7 35	2 55	7 05		Dunkles	8 53	4 42	9 13
7 39	2 59	7 09		HUBLERSBURG	8 49	4 38	9 09
7 43	3 03	7 14		Snydertown	8 46	4 34	9 05
7 45	3 05	7 16		Nittany	8 44	4 31	9 02
7 47	3 07	7 19		Huston	8 42	4 28	9 00
7 51	3 11	7 23		LAMAR	8 39	4 25	8 57
7 53	3 13	7 25		Clintondale	8 36	4 22	8 54
7 57	3 17	7 29		Krider's Spring	8 32	4 18	8 51
8 01	3 21	7 33		Mackeyville	8 28	4 13	8 46
8 07	3 27	7 39		Cedar Springs	8 22	4 07	8 40
8 10	3 30	7 42		Salona	8 20	4 05	8 38
8 15	3 35	7 47		MILL HALL	8 15	4 00	8 33

(N. Y. Central and Hudson River R. R.)

11 45		8 58		Jersey Shore	3 16		7 50
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12 29		11 30	Lve.	Wmsport Arr.	2 25		6 50

(Philad. & Reading Ry.)

7 30		6 50		PHILA	8 36	11	30
10 40		9 02		NEW YORK	4 30	7	30

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Spring Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. John Grenoble and three children, now located at Yeagertown, but formerly of this place, spent a few days visiting friends and relatives. Mr. Grenoble is gradually improving in health.

Mrs. D. F. Luse and Mrs. L. L. Smith and little daughter, of Centre Hall, spent Friday at the home of Mrs. J. W. Shook.

Miss Mabel Allison made a short visit to Bellefonte, this week.

Ex-County Superintendent Potts, of Bedford, was the guest of Rev. G. W. McIlnay, a few days last week.

A union Sunday school picnic will be held at the sand spring, Thursday, 24th inst. It has been decided to have an old-fashioned table picnic.

Rev. James Runkle and family, of Williamsport, spent Sunday at the home of Rev. Runkle's mother.

Harvest Home services were appropriately observed in the Reformed church Sunday afternoon. The church was tastily decorated with flowers and the various products of the season.

John Orndorf and son painted G. C. King's house, which has been much improved thereby.

Chas. H. Smull, wife and daughter Margaret, of Rebersburg, and A. S. Dornblazer, wife and daughter Madge, of Hagerstown, Md., were guests at the home of C. E. Zeigler a few days this week.

The members of the United Evangelical church will hold a festival on the lot adjoining the church on Saturday evening.

Messrs. William Ruhl and Homer C. Zerby Monday returned from a trip to Atlantic City.

S. L. Condo, last week, delivered two new buggies to Nittany Valley.

Harry Burkholder, of Centre Hill, Sunday, was a guest at the home of B. W. Ripka.

I. W. Bartges made a shipment of choice peaches, Monday.

A large delegation of the Spring Mills I. O. O. F. will be in attendance at the reunion at Centre Hall, on Thursday.

John Rishell, last week, started work on his new store building.

Burton Beaton and family left for an extended trip to the Prince Edward Islands, where they will vfsit Mr. Beaton's mother.

H. H. Rachau, of this village, present manager of the Fairview Fruit Farm, is about making arrangements to take charge of the orchards and superintend the packing of fruit for a heavy shipping firm in Georgia.

Benjamin Donachy, of Lewisburg, grandson of Magistrate Herring, whom he is visiting, had quite a lively birthday party Thursday evening. Of course, the children enjoyed themselves immensely.

Sheriff Taylor and wife were in town Friday and were delightfully entertained by Miss Ida Condo.

Ivy Bartges will positively not allow visitors on his fruit farm on Sundays.

The huckleberry crop is evidently immense. Last week they were brought to town by the bushels, and like the foes of Macbeth, "still they come."

John Smith, of the firm of Smith Brothers, after an illness of a week or more, is able to attend to business again. Mr. Smith had a severe spell and it has left him in rather a weak condition.

Few apples in the valley this year. Not half the usual crop.

Owing to the post office at Potters Mills being closed, two of the letter carriers have their routes extended over a mile.

Harris Township.

Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Woods, of South Sharon, visited in Boalsburg.

Samuel Kimport, with his family, was over from their home at State College, Monday afternoon, and spent the time with his parents.

Mrs. William A. Wagner and daughter Helen, of Juniata, are visiting at the Kimport home.

Norman McIntyre, of Altoona, who is spending the summer with the Everhart brothers, on the Branch, was with his grandmother, Mrs. Sara Rankin, in Boalsburg. Sunday.

D. Shoenwald and S. Ciering, traveling artists, from New York, were here last week, soliciting orders for enlarging pictures. Their specimens were very life-like.

W. C. Walter, of West Chester, was around among the farmers buying shoats.

George Keichline, of Pine Grove Mills, transacted business in Boalsburg Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shugert with their little daughter Marjorie spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Burns, at Oak Hall.

Mrs. Christena Cramer and son Adam were visitors from Pine Hall.

Mrs. William Goheen had a house party Thursday evening and her sister, Mrs. Woods, gave one on Saturday evening. The entertainments were given in honor of some visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Sophia Hall, of Wilmington, Del., is paying her annual visit to her sisters, Misses Sara and Clara Keller.

Charles Corl has been kept busy threshing grain for the farmers in Boalsburg. The crop of wheat of S. E. Weber averaged a fraction over twenty-five bushels to the acre, while H. M. Hosterman came second with twenty-one bushels and a fraction.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stuart, of State College, visited Miss Priscilla Stuart, Tuesday.

Miss Matilda Smith is ill from typhoid fever.

Prothonotary A B Kimport and Attorney David Fortney spent Sunday in Boalsburg.

Mrs. Neff Everts, of Pine Grove Mills, spent a few days at the home of L. W. Kimport.

Quite a party of young people, chaperoned by Rev. A. A. Black and S. E. Weber, attended the festival given by the ladies of the Reformed church, at Houserville, Saturday evening.

A number of persons from this place were present at the dedication services of the United Brethren church, at Houserville, Sunday. Appropriate addresses were delivered and some of the latest music rendered.

Millheim.

Misses Edith and Nettie Bair left Wednesday of last week to spend some time with friends and relatives in York county.

Miss Bertha Musser, Thursday, went to spend some time in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Brenemen and young son Robert are visiting friends and relatives in Saxton.

Mrs. Elizabeth Harshbarger and daughter, Jeannette Kerstetter, left last Thursday for Williamsport.

F. E. Gutelius was in Philadelphia a few days last week.

Miss Maude Ard, of Woodward, was entertained by her friend Miss Mary Hartman last week.

Edward Confer, who works at Altoona, spent Sunday under the parental roof.

Miss Hattie Smith is visiting her sister, Mrs. Reiley Bower, of Jersey Shore.

Miss Nettie Springer, who works at Bellefonte, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Emma Springer.

John Reeser, of Snow Shoe, visited his son Andrew a few days last week.

Charles Secrist and family, of Johnsonburg, are visiting at the home of his brother, George.

Miss Grace Treaster, of Milroy, was an arrival Monday, to visit at the home of A. Walters.

Penn Hall.

Mrs. Jerry Albright and son Roy spent Monday with friends at Tusseyville.

Rev. Sheeder, wife and daughter, Miss Bertha, of Aaronsburg, were at the home of Robert Bartges, Tuesday evening.

Milton Best and family, of Union county, were entertained at the home of F. M. Fisher several days last week.

Miss Lola Ulrich left Friday to spend some time visiting friends and relatives at Selinsgrove and Sunbury.

H. N. Meyer and wife, of Millheim, were in town for a few hours Monday.

Sober.

W. D. Zerby, Esq., of Bellefonte, visited his father and sister Sunday.

Wm. Auman returned to West Virginia where he is engaged on a lumber job.

T. F. Auman made a business trip to Bellefonte.

The oats is nearly all stored, and farmers are threshing and getting ready for fall seeding.

Wm. Hoy, wife and children, of Linden Hall, were guests at the home of W. Krisher, over Sunday.

Mrs. John Confer, who had been ill, is improving.

LOCALS.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Foreman, of near Spring Mills, the latter part of last week.

D. W. Bradford, of near Centre Hall, is in Harrisburg, where he attended the Democratic State convention.

Miss Helen Harper, of Bellefonte, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Emerick, east of Centre Hall.

Mrs. James C. Goodhart, of near Centre Hill, is spending her vacation at Milton, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lee, and sister, Mrs. C. A. Boyer.

Mrs. T. Benton Ulrich and little son visited at the home of Fisher's, at Penn Hall, and before returning home will spend some time at Selinsgrove. Mr. Ulrich is engaged in a store at Kokomo, Indiana.

Mrs. Lydia Musser, of Millheim, who has been sojourning at West Union, Iowa, for some months, returned Saturday. She made the trip going and returning alone. Her age is about eighty years.

The Woman's Home Companion for September opens with the first installment of its new serial by A. Wilson Barrett. It is entitled "The Silver Pin," and promises to be one of the most absorbing detective stories ever written.

Nathan Grove, of Lemont, became very ill while in church the other Sunday, and was carried to his carriage and taken home. The illness was due to a severe electrical shock received by him during a thunder storm, several years ago.

Rev. G. W. McIlnay and Station Agent W. L. Campbell, of Spring Mills, will go to Ocean Grove Campmeeting. They will leave Friday on the popular Pennsylvania railroad excursion, and will return the beginning of the week.

J. J. Arney, of Centre Hall, acted as substitute for W. B. Mingle, Esq., delegate to the Democratic State convention. The other delegates are Hon. W. C. Heinle, Bellefonte; L. B. Frank, Rebersburg; W. E. Frank, Philipsburg.

Rev. J. M. Runkle, wife and family arrived in Centre Hall Monday afternoon, to spend a short time with John Runkle, brother of the former. Rev. Runkle, however, was called back to Williamsport Tuesday to conduct a funeral.

W. P. Lingle, of Georges Valley, was a caller Wednesday, having come to town on account of some business relative to the Jacob Jamison estate. While Mr. Lingle was in Centre Hall, Mrs. Lingle spent the time with her sister, Mrs. Victor Auman, on the Luse farm, east of town.

Mr. Bigler will be through with his contract on the McNitt lumber tract, on Nittany Mountain, in about a month, according to the statement of William H. Knoffsinger, the engineer at the mill. Mr. Knoffsinger is laid up for "repairs" at present, but hopes to be ready for work by Monday.

Leslie Sunday, the little son of Lewis Sunday, of near Centre Hall, had the index finger of his right hand severed by a blow from an axe in the hands of his older brother, Adam. The lad was holding a stick, while his older brother wielded the axe. Dr. Allison dressed the wound.

Mrs. Charles S. Miller, of Philadelphia, accompanied by her son, is the guest of Mrs. J. Emory Hoy, at the Mingle home, in this place. This is Mrs. Miller's first visit to the country. Before coming here she visited her parents at Danville. Mrs. Miller's husband is engaged with a large wholesale shoe house.

H. P. Yearick, of Philadelphia, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Phoebe Yearick, and sister, Mrs. W. B. Mingle, in this place. Mr. Yearick is engaged in the coal business in Philadelphia, being the senior partner of the firm of Yearick Brothers, who do an extensive business in that line. He is much interested in the prospecting well that is being sunk, near Centre Hall, and frequently visits the scene to watch the operations going on there.

Collar-bone Broken.

Mary, the six year old daughter of Frank Lohr, of near Boalsburg, fell Saturday and broke her collar-bone. Mr. Lohr and several other men were at work in the barn, repairing hay ladders, and Mary, who is the only little one in the family, and very fond of being out-of-doors, had climbed to the upper beam of the ladder, whence she fell to the barn floor, with the above mentioned result. Dr. Kidder rendered the necessary aid, and the little one is getting along nicely.

They Appeal to Our Sympathies.

The bilious and dyspeptic are constant sufferers and appeal to our sympathies. There is not one of them, however, who may not be brought back to health and happiness by the use of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. These tablets invigorate the stomach and liver and strengthen the digestion. They also regulate the bowels. For sale by C. W. Swartz, Tusseyville; F. A. Carson, Potters Mills.

Tablets, all sizes, at the Reporter office.

LOCALS.

Fewer gallons; wears longer; Devoe.

Mrs. John F. Mullen, of Allegheny, is in Altoona, but will not continue her trip to Centre Hall.

Lutheran appointments — Union, morning, Harvest Home; Spring Mills, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening, Children's service.

Mrs. Smith, wife of ex-Prothonotary W. F. Smith, of near Millheim, who had been ill for the past two weeks, has much improved, and is no longer confined to bed.

Merchant W. H. Meyer was taken suddenly ill while waiting on a customer, Wednesday of last week, and was taken to his home. Monday he recoved sufficiently to be able to be back to his post of duty.

Dr. S. C. Runkle, of Philadelphia, is in town at present, having joined his wife and family here beginning of this week. Dr. Runkle will remain for a week or so and then, with his family, will return to the city. His stay in the country is necessarily short, owing to his extensive medical practice.

The large bank barn on the farm of Henry Gilmore, of Linden, located between Antes Fort and Nippono park, which is tenanted by J. A. Artley, was struck by lightning and burned. The barn contained 1600 bushels of oats, 1000 bushels of wheat, 75 tons of hay, and farm implements, etc. Fourteen hogs were burned to death and a horse standing under the forebay was killed by the lightning when the barn was struck.

Among others who recently favored the Reporter with remittances are J. O. Stover, Reedsville; D Geiss Wagner, Tusseyville; J. P. Weber, Boalsburg; H. B. Spangler, Chicago; W. H. Stiver, Centre Hall; Perry Krise, Potters Mills; Samuel Limbert, Lock Haven; Irvin M. Burris, Linden Hall; Mrs. F. O. Bairfoot, Centre Hall; S. H. Heckman, Johnstown; Mrs. Jacob Sprow, Centre Hall; H. L. Brocks, Pleasant Gap; John H. Bare, Tusseyville; I. A. Sweetwood, Centre Hall; John A. Slack, Potters Mills.

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Carner Barn Burned.

The Carner barn, one-half mile west of Hublersburg, was struck by lightning, at noon, Sunday, and was totally destroyed by fire. The barn was on the farm of Mrs. Wm. H. Stiver, of Centre Hall, and tenanted by Jacob Weaver. Mr. Weaver saved all the implements, cattle, horses, etc, and about one hundred bushels of wheat that was sacked. Several hundred bushels of wheat, the whole crop of oats and hay were burned. He held insurance.

The barn was insured in the Centre Hall company, it is said, for about $1,500.

Sick headache results from a disordered condition of the stomach and is quickly cured by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by C. W. Swartz, Tusseyville; F. A. Carson, Potters Mills.

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SPECIAL ELEVEN-DAY EXCURSION.

To Ocean Grove, Asbury Park, or Long Branch Via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For the benefit of those desiring to visit the great Ocean Grove Camp Meeting, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will, on August 25, sell excursion tickets to Ocean Grove, Asbury Park, or Long Branch from stations named below at the very low rates quoted.

These tickets will be good for passage to Philadelphia on train indicated, thence on regular trains leaving Broad Street Station at 12 27, 2 32, 3.30, 4.00, and 4.09 P. M. that day to destination.

	Train Leaves		Rate
Bellefonte	Leave 6:40	A M	$5.75
Lemont	7:02	"	5.50
Oak Hall	7:06	"	5.50
Linden Hall	7:10	"	5.25
Centre Hall	7:22	"	5.25
Rising Spring	7:35	"	4.75
Coburn	7:50	"	4.75
Glen Iron	8:26	"	4.50
Millmont	8:33	"	4.50
Mifflinburg	8:45	"	4.50
Lewisburg	9:05	"	4.50
Philadelphia	Arrive 3:16	P M	

Tickets will be good for return passage on regular trains, except limited express trains, until September 4, inclusive, and will permit of stop-off at Philadelphia within limit returning.

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GRAIN MARKET.

Rye	50	Wheat	80
Barley	40	Oats	30
		Corn	60

PRODUCE AT STORES.

Lard	08	Butter	15
Potatoes	—	Eggs	17

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CURES: Flesh Wounds, Ulcers, Felons, Carbuncles, Boils, Erysipelas, Scrofula, Tetter, Eczema, White Swelling, Skin Eruptions, Fever Sores, Piles, Burns, Scalds, Chilblains, Corns, Bunions, Chapped Hands, Etc., Etc. By Mail, 25c. DR. SMITH CO., Centre Hall

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GRAMLEY-STURGIS.

Pretty Wedding at Millheim Wednesday A. M.—Spending Honeymoon in North.

The marriage of S. Ward Gramley, of Spring Mills, and Miss Bessie Sturgis, of Millheim, was solemnized at the home of the bride's uncle, A. Walters, in Millheim, Wednesday morning, at exactly six o'clock. The ring ceremony was used, Rev. M. C. Piper, of Milesburg, being the officiating minister.

The Walters home was beautifully decorated. An arch of palms and flowers, under which the ceremony was performed, being the main piece. The breakfast table was also beautifully decorated with flowers and ribbons, the latter being suspended from a chandelier. The decorations were judged exceedingly pretty and tasty.

After the wedding breakfast the young couple took the train for Northern New York and Canada, where they will remain until the beginning of September.

The invited guests included only the immediate families of the principals to the contract to be consummated, and a few close friends, numbering in all about eighteen persons.

The bride and groom are well and favorably known in Centre county, and are most excellent young people. Mr. Gramley will teach the High School at Mt. Union, Huntingdon county, the coming term, and it is in that town that they will be at home to their friends.

The bride received many useful and valuable presents. Among them were cash and a check that will not be protested.

New Fast Line to Birmingham, Ala.

The Seaboard Air Line Railway now operates through Pullman Drawing Room Sleeping Cars, daily, from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington to Birmingham, Ala. via Richmond, through Virginia, the Carolinas and Georgia, by far, the most attractive route.

In addition to this excellent service another daily train carries Pullman Drawing Room Sleeping Cars to Atlanta, Ga. from which point Pullman Buffet Parlor Cars are operated to Birmingham—Dining Cars serving meals a la carte are handled on all Seaboard through trains. With the Seaboard's new line to Birmingham, passengers from this section are given a most excellent double daily service to the Southwest, as above indicated.

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Bitten by a Rabid Dog.

About 10-days ago a small pet dog belonging to George Russel, at Mill Hall, bit his youngest son aged between six and seven years. The accident gave Mr. Russel some concern, and he called a physician, who cauterized the wound. Later he called Veterinary Surgeon Dr. John Riter, of Centre Hall, who, when examining the dog, was also bitten. He, after giving his wound the same treament, killed the the animal and sent the head to Dr. Leonard Pearson, state veterinary surgeon. A day or so ago Dr. Riter received a telegram from Dr Pearson, stating that the dog had been afflicted with the rabies. The case has been receiving treatment and no further danger is apprehended.

Pomona Grange Program.

The following program will be rendered at a meeting of Centre County Pomona Grange, in the hall of Bald Eagle Grange, August 24th:

Welcome address by Bald Eagle Grange.
Response by I. S. Frain.
Report of secretary of Insurance Company.
Paper on the Esoteric work of the Patrons of Husbandry.
Recess for dinner.
Recitation, Miss Florence Marshall.
What is the best method to get all members to respond at subordinate meetings?—George L. Ebbs.
Report of Encampment committee.
Report of Telephone committee.
Conferring 5th degree.

WILLARD DALE, Lecturer.

The Potters Mills P. O.

The Potters Mills postoffice, five miles south of Centre Hall, is doing business same as ever. The rural mail route that covers that territory, has been extended to the residence of W. W. McCormick, east of the postoffice, and to the Harper place, along the pike, south of that point. The citizens sent a petition to the postoffice department, asking that the office be continued, and they are quite confident that their appeal will be heard and favorably acted upon.

Marriage Licenses.

S. Ward Gramley, Spring Mills.
Bessie Sturgis, Millheim.
John P. Kelley, Snow Shoe.
Elizabeth D. Kelley, Snow Shoe.

Souvenir Postal Cards.

You will find at the Reporter office a souvenir postal card, very suggestive at this particular time, at one cent each.

DEATHS.

WILLIAM ZEIGLER.

Died at the residence of his son, George Zeigler, at Farmville, Virginia, William Zeigler, in the seventy-eighth year of his age, on Wednesday night, August 3rd.

Mr. Zeigler was a man of ardent impulses, positive in his opinions and convictions, a warm friend and a kind husband and father. His health had been failing for some time, but even when in feeble health he was anxious to help others.

Mr. Zeigler was born in Centre county, Pa., April 24, 1828, and was married to Elizabeth Krape, of the same county. They lived together fifty-four years. Thirty-two years ago they moved to Virginia, and did much for the upbuilding of that country.

Interment was made in the family cemetery at Antioch. Funeral services were largely attended. All of his children but one live far away and were not able to attend the funeral.

Surviving him are his wife and eight children: Susie, wife of O. W. Hoy, Farmington, Mo.; Alice, wife of Arthur Miller, Indiana; Emma, wife of William Addleman, Hosterman, W. Va.; Ida, wife of Alvin Heinke, Campton, Ill.; Eliza, wife of William Nickleson, Big Run; Cora, wife of William Deemer, Sykesville; John, Rebersburg; Charlie, Sugargrove, Ill.; George, Farmville, Va.

MRS CHRISTIAN. BEEZER.

Grace, wife of Christian Beezer, passed away Wednesday morning of last week, at the Bellefonte hospital. The deceased underwent an operation Monday previous under the supervision of Dr. Vischer, of Philadelphia. The operation was carried through successfully but her disease was of so serious a character that it failed to save her life, and she died at the above stated time.

The deceased, whose maiden name was Miss Grace McCurley, and was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McCurley, of Union county. She was born in New Columbia, and was aged thirty-four years. She was a member of the Methodist church and a lady of gracious manner and was highly respected. She was married twice, her former husband, Thomas Stevens, of Texas, died several years ago. She was then married to Christian Beezer, of Bellefonte. To her first husband she leaves one daughter, Miss Nellie Stevens. There were no children to the second marriage.

MRS. J. Y. GLASGOW.

Mrs. J. Y. Glasgow died at her home at Colyer Wednesday of last week, aged sixty years. Her maiden name was Mary E. Mulburger, and she was married to Mr. Glasgow July 22, 1886.

For the past eight years Mrs. Glasgow has been a sufferer from rheumatism, but the last three months was afflicted with a complication of diseases. A husband and five children, by a former marriage to Mr. Bartlet, are left to mourn her death.

She was a member of the Reformed church at Tusseyville, at which place interment was made.

MRS. F. E. FOSS.

Mrs. Foss, wife of Prof. F. E. Foss, of State College, died after an illness extending back four years or more. Deceased was aged 36 years. Her maiden name was Miss Mittie Hauscome and she was born and reared in Chicago. She leaves no children, being survived only by her husband.

PERRY STEEL.

The venerable Perry Steel died Monday evening at the home of his granddaughter, Mrs. Debie Gehret, at Mill Hall. The remains were brought to Bellefonte Tuesday afternoon and taken to the home of his son, A. B. Steele. Mr. Steele was ninety years of age.

MRS. ELIZA I. LUCAS.

Mrs. Eliza I. Lucas died at her home in Altoona, Friday. She was born at Curtin's Iron Works, this county, 1839, and was the daughter of Robert Goodfellow. She was married to D. A. Lucas, of Boggs township, who died in 1892.

MRS. FREDERICK DALE.

Mrs. Margaret Dale, wife of Frederick H. Dale, who lives in Rush township, near Osceola, died after a long illness, aged about sixty-eight years. She is survived by her husband, two sons, and five daughters.

JOHN A. LUCAS.

John Andrew Lucas, of Altoona, was killed by an explosion of the boiler of a railroad engine. He was born in Centre county, and was aged about twenty-six years. He is survived by a wife and one daughter.

Children's Service.

The members of the Lutheran church in Centre Hall will render a Children's service Sunday evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Rearick Improving.

Mrs. J. M. Rearick is improving. The operation was successfully performed, and her condition is as good as can be expected, but she will need to remain in the hospital for several weeks. Rev. Rearick returned home Tuesday.

32ND ENCAMPMENT AND EXHIBITION

Grange Park, Centre Hall, Will Open Saturday, September 16, for One Week.

The following firms have engaged space for exhibits, etc.

Columbia Wagon Company, Columbia, will exhibit a full line of wagons

Thornton Barnes, of Philadelphia, will exhibit a full line of groceries.

Garritee & Son, Philadelphia, will place on exhibition a large display of made up clothing.

The Mifflinburg Buggy Company will exhibit a full line of buggies.

Huber, Mechanicsburg, will exhibit a large display of novelties, occupying the same place he did last year. New orders for exhibition space are coming in daily.

The Media Dramatic Company will conduct the evening entertainments in the auditorium.

A new merry-go-round has been engaged for the entertainment of the young people.

At this writing, thirty-six tents are already engaged and orders are coming in every week.

Committees have been appointed in each of the twenty-four local granges in the county to solicit exhibits of agricultural and horticultural products. Also horses, cattle, sheep, swine and poultry.

Pennsylvania State College and the state agricultural experiment station have arranged to make a large display of the college station.

Camp opens Saturday, Sept. 16th. The anniversary Harvest Home service will be held in the auditorium Sunday afternoon. Dr. James Boal, of Centre Hall, will preach the anniversary sermon.

Exhibition opens Monday, Sept. 18th.

It has been arranged with the Trunk Line Railroad Association for all roads in Penn'a, including Baltimore, Md., and Elmira, N. Y., for free sale of excursion tickets to Centre Hall and return (without card orders). Tickets to be sold and good going Sept. 14th to 22nd, and returning to Sept. 25th, inclusive.

Ex-Treasurer D. C. Keller, who has gained a reputation as a boarding-house keeper, has again secured that privilege.

The Sick at Boalsburg.

Three elderly persons in Boalsburg have been ill for some time, and there is much concern expressed for their recovery. Mrs. Susan Kennedy, who is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Wieland, is reported considerably improved.

Mrs. Rebecca Sparr, well advanced in years, is gradually growing weaker. She is unable to take nourishment, and the end of her life, under present conditions, can not be far distant.

Lot W. Kimport's condition has slightly improved. Mr. Kimport, as was mentioned last week, had a paralytic stroke. He is also suffering from a sore on one of his limbs.

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Feed your hair; nourish it; give it something to live on. Then it will stop falling, and will grow long and heavy. Ayer's Hair Vigor is the only

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hair food you can buy. For 60 years it has been doing just what we claim it will do. It will not disappoint you.

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CLEARANCE SALE OF FURNITURE

During Month of August, at the Furniture Store of S. M. Campbell, Millheim—10 to 25 per cent. Discount.

S. M. Campbell, the furniture dealer at Millheim, has begun an August Clearance Sale of furniture, at the reduction of from 10 to 25 per cent. of the regular price. The furniture offered here is not old stock, but the newest of the new, there is not an old piece in sight.

Nor does this sale embrace a single line of articles, but anything in the furniture line—Bed Room outfits, Couches, Golden Oak Sideboards, etc.

Mr. Campbell invites you to call and examine his stock, after which he is sure you will be convinced of the truth of his circulars sent out and the statements made here.

Nothing on the Market Equal to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

This fact is well known to druggists everywhere, and nine out of ten will give their customers this preparation when the best is asked for. Mr. Obe Witmer, a prominent druggist of Joplin, Mo., in a circular to his customers, says: "There is nothing on the market in the way of patent medicine which equals Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for bowel complaints. We sell and recommend this preparation." For sale by C. W. Swartz, Tusseyville; F. A. Carson, Potters Mills.

Smith, the Photographer.

W. W. Smith, the Photographer, will not be in Centre Hall this week, but Friday, August 25.

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Trace Chains	70 Cts.
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A fine ginger snap for general use.
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Slightly sweetened, can be served with any beverage
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Cheese Sandwich 15c
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Time Table in Effect May 28, 1905.

TRAINS LEAVE MONTANDON, EASTWARD.

7.38 A. M.—Train 64. Week days for Sunbury, Harrisburg, arriving at Philadelphia, 11.48 a. m., New York 2.03 p. m., Baltimore 12.15 p. m., Washington 1.20 p. m. Parlor car and passenger coach to Philadelphia.

9.22 A. M.—Train 30. Daily for Sunbury Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Harrisburg and intermediate stations. Week days for Scranton, Hazelton, and Pottsville. Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore, Washington. Through passenger coaches to Philadelphia.

1.28 P. M.—Train 12. Week days for Sunbury, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Hazelton, Pottsville, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia at 6.23 p. m., New York, 9.30 p. m. Baltimore, 6.00 p. m., Washington at 7.15 p. m. Parlor car through to Philadelphia, and passenger coaches to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington.

4.45 P. M.—Train 32. Week days for Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Hazelton, Pottsville, and daily for Harrisburg and intermediate points, arriving at Philadelphia 10.47 p. m., New York 3.53 a. m., Baltimore 9.48 p. m. Passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

8.10 P. M.—Train 6. Daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg, and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4.23 a. m., New York at 7.13 a. m., Baltimore, 2.20 a. m., Washington, 3.30 a. m. Pullman sleeping cars from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleepers undisturbed until 7.30 a. m.

WESTWARD.

5.33 A. M.—Train 3. (Daily) For Erie, Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and intermediate stations, with passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester. Week days for DuBois Bellefonte and Pittsburg. On Sundays only Pullman sleeper to Philadelphia.

10.00 A. M.—Train 31. (Daily) For Lock Haven and intermediate stations, and week days for Tyrone, Clearfield, Philipsburg, Pittsburg and the West, with through cars to Tyrone.

1.31 P. M.—Train 61. Week days for Emporium, Tyrone, Clearfield, Philipsburg, Pittsburg, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Syracuse, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester, and Parlor car to Philadelphia.

5.29 P. M.—Train 1. Week days for Renovo, Elmira and intermediate stations.

10.07 P. M.—Train 67. Week days for Williamsport and intermediate stations. Through Parlor Car and Passenger Coach for Philadelphia.

9.10 P. M.—Train 921. Sunday only, for Williamsport and intermediate stations.

LEWISBURG AND TYRONE RAILROAD.
Week Days.

WESTWARD.				EASTWARD.		
P M	A M	P M	STATIONS.	P M	A M	P M
1 38	5 40	5 32	Montandon	8 05	9 15	4 45
1 48	6 30	5 40	Lewisburg	7 55	9 05	4 35
1 55	6 38	5 48	Biehl	6 26	8 58	4 27
2 00	6 42	5 52	Vicksburg	6 20	8 53	4 22
2 10	6 50	6 00	Mifflinburg	6 10	8 45	4 14
2 23	7 02		Millmont		8 33	4 02
2 32	7 09		Glen Iron		8 26	3 54
3 04	7 40		Paddy Mountain		8 00	3 25
3 15	7 50		Coburn		7 50	3 15
3 21	7 57		Zerby		7 43	3 06
3 31	8 05		Rising Springs		7 35	2 58
3 37	8 11		Penn Cave		7 28	2 51
3 44	8 18		Centre Hall		7 22	2 44
3 50	8 24		Gregg		7 17	2 38
3 57	8 31		Linden Hall		7 10	2 31
4 01	8 35		Oak Hall		7 06	2 26
4 05	8 39		Lemont		7 02	2 22
4 09	8 43		Dale Summit		6 57	2 17
4 18	8 52		Pleasant Gap		6 48	2 08
4 21	8 55		Axemann		6 45	2 05
4 25	9 00		Bellefonte		6 40	2 00

Additional trains leave Lewisburg for Montandon at 5.20 a. m., 7.25 a. m. 9.45 a. m., 1.15, 5.25 and 7.55 p. m., returning leave Montandon for Lewisburg at 7.40, 9.27 a. m. 10.03 a. m., 4.50, 5.40 p. m. and 8.12 p. m.

On Sundays trains leave Montandon 9.23 and 10.01 a. m. and 4.46 p. m., returning leave Lewisburg 9.25 a. m., 10.03 a. m. and 4.48 p. m.

W. W. ATTERBURY, General Manager
J. R. WOOD, Pass. Traffic Mgr.
GEO. W. BOYD, General Pass'ger Agt.

BELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD.
Week Days.

EASTWARD.			STATIONS.	WESTWARD		
6	4	2		1	3	5
P.M.	P. M	A M	Ar. Lv.	A M	A M	P M
6 30	12 50	8 50	Bellefonte	6 30	10 15	3 00
6 10	12 40	8 40	Coleville	6 35	10 20	3 07
6 07	12 37	8 37	Morris	6 38	10 23	3 12
6 03	12 35	8 35	Stevens	6 43	10 27	3 17
6 00	12 31	8 31	Hunters	6 46	10 30	3 21
5 55	12 28	8 28	Fillmore	6 50	10 34	3 26
5 50	12 24	8 24	Briarly	6 55	10 40	3 32
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THE HARP.

I heard a murmurous sound of throbbing strings
That quivered in the sunlight by the stream—
Sad notes that fluttered like a young heart breaking,
The dim blue hollows of the woodland waking,
With sorrows from the shadow world of dream,
And tales of shadow haunted queens and kings,
Over your harp you bent; but when I came
You lifted your dark eyes, and your song died—
Although your fingers in the strings yet straying
Thrilled the hushed woodands with enchanted playing—
As you arose to wander by my side.
Breathing sweet words that set my heart aflame.
From cups of crystal and of amethyst
And golden bowls of summer, sapphire lipped,
We drank deep draughts of life, O Love together;
We wandered through dim nights among the heather.
In late September when the young moon dipped
Her amber horn in dewy silver mist.
And now, when winter comes, and wood and fell
In one white whirl are hidden from our eyes,
Dreaming together by the sparkling embers,
You touch, once more, the harp that still remembers—
Though in our hearts no shade of sorrow lies—
The dark eyed sorrows that in dreamland dwell.
I hear once more the tale of queens and kings
Caught in the nets of love; and how they died;
Yet—though for all the sorrow of the telling
Tears of compassion in my eyes are welling—
Because we two have wandered side by side,
My heart may grieve not with the grieving strings.

—London Daily News.

By Strength of Arm.

By Albert W. Tolman.

The reason why John Robbins, head of Township Ten Drive, picked out Jules Grandgent to break the big jam at the Giant's Staircase was that for three years in succession the young Frenchman had done the work successfully. Had the feat been considered an especially perilous one, Robbins, instead of ordering for a man out on the logs, would have called for a volunteer; and this would probably have meant Jules, who was never backward in offering his service. But there were a dozen places on the river more dangerous than this. Here skill and judgment rather than daring were required.

At this point the rocky river bottom shelved down in an eighth of a mile of broad, shallow steps to a deep, circular basin. Just above the foot of this flight of stairs the stream was compressed to a width of a hundred feet between prependicular cliffs about half as high.

Right in this narrow gullet a big pine had stuck between two boulders, like a fish-bone in a giant's throat. The whole drive had piled up behind it, stewing the entire flight, and extending far up-stream. A man might have walked dry-shod from the foot of the stairs to a point half a mile above. This state of affairs could not be allowed to continue long. The river was falling, and there was no time to lose.

Robbins knew the gorge of old, and was prepared to meet its difficulties. When once the jam started, the man who broke it would have no time to reach the foot of the prependicular bluffs. So it was the lumbermen's custom to stretch a strong rope across the gulf from cliff-top to cliff-top, making each end fast to a tree trunk. On this was placed a travelling pulley-block, which was lashed to a knot tied in the middle of the rope, and through which another smaller rope ran to the right bank. The end of this line below the block was lowered, and made fast under the arms of the driver selected to break the jam.

When the logs began to move, the man was immediately hoisted up until he reached the knot in the horizontal cable; then he cut the lashings that bound the block to this, and was drawn in to the bank, block and all. This had been done successfully many times in former years.

It took neary an hour to get the ropes in place. Part of the crew worked on one bluff part on the other, while one man labored on the jam itself. Jules leaned against a spruce on the right bank, waiting, ax in hand. When all was ready, the driver below was drawn up. Then down the face of the cliff they lowered Jules, laughing and singing going with a light heart to his encounter with the river.

At the foot of the bluff he freed himself from the noose in which he had been seated, and stepped, whistling, out upon the jam, his spiked boots making his footing on the slippery logs as firm as if he were on a city sidewalk. There lay the cause of the trouble, that big white pine with the others wedged round it. If that were once cut in two, the jam would go to pieces.

But first his own safety must be assured. Under his armpits he fastened the end of the rope dangling from the block high above. It was necessary to make one or two tests to see that everything worked smoothly.

"All ready!" he shouted. From the right bank came the response in Robbins' deep bass:

"Pull away, boys!"

A half-dozen Prince Edward Islanders surged upon the rope, and Jules was snapped ten feet into the air.

"Don't do it so quick!" he shouted. "You'll break me in two. Once again!"

This time they did better. But no further experiments could be tried. Robbins chafed at the delay; every minute was precious. The Frenchman fell vigorously to work.

It was ten o'clock on a May morning. A thick river mist filled the gorge. The men on the opposite banks could hardly see one another, although the stalwart, red-shirted figure on the logs below was plainly visible from both sides.

The quick strokes of his ax resounded dully through the chasm; and fifty pairs of eyes were focused on him, as he swung the keen steel. Nothing could be done until the jam was cleared. Robbins, grasping a small spruce on the verge of the bluff, leaned out over empty space, his gaze fixed on the axman below, ready to give the signal to pull to the expectant men behind him.

Fast fell the strokes. The great log was nearly cut through when the foreman's practised eye saw that the jam was beginning to weaken. Grandgent himself, busy with his chopping, did not observe this. Robbins uttered a shout:

"There she goes! All right, Jules! Up with him, boys!"

So suddenly did the excited men respond that the Frenchman was snapped off the logs before he realized what was happening. His ax flew from his hand.

The sudden shock jerked the rope from the pulley-wheel. It fell back, dropped between the wheel and side of the block, and there stuck fast. For the fraction of a second the men swayed at the rope. Then Robbins, who instantly realized the catastrophe that was imminent if six lusty men continued straining on one small line of hemp, roared out at the top of his lungs:

"Stop hauling!"

At the very instant that Grandgent was snapped up the jam had broken. Impelled by the volume of logs and water behind it, the head of the drive came surging down the Staircase with the thunder of an avalanche, each separate stick seemingly endowed with life, rolling, plunging, battling with its fellows.

Jules had falen back so that his boot-soles were only four or five feet above the grinding mass. He was fully alive to his peril as he hung there in the mist among the darting leaping river monsters. A glance at the taut rope extending from the block to the bank told him what had happened; and he raised both arms over his head with the intention of pulling himself up hand over hand.

But just at that moment a log sprang out of the boiling turmoil and struck his legt leg a heavy blow, breaking the bone just below the knee. The sudden sharp pain made the Frenchman faint. His arms dropped, and he hung half-insensible, spinning slowly round and round, like a spider at the end of its thread!

The throat of the gorge was now a veritable maelstrom. From head to foot the rapids were in motion, a rough, irregular floor of heaving logs, all of which must pass through that narrow chasm in which the Frenchman hung. In that raging pit no man could call his life his own from one second to another.

How could the lumbermen rescue their comrade? For the first time in his twenty years of river driving, Robbins was at a loss for expedients.

The hauling line had evidently caught so firmly in the block that no effort could disengage it. Had the main cable itself been longer, it might have been possible to untie its ends from the tree trunks and draw it across the river; but there had been barely enough to be made fast at either end.

To the knot in its middle the block had been tied so firmly that it was useless to hope to loosen it; a tug strong enough to break its bonds might tear asunder the rope itself.

Any one of a dozen men would gladly have gone out on the cable, hand over hand, and cut the pulley clear, so that it might be drawn in to the bank. But would the rope stand this double strain? No experiments could be tried now, for a failure could mean but one thing for the injured man.

Then Jules came to himself and took the matter into his own hands. His face was white with pain. Every moment that he hung there was a moment of peril. All round him the logs were leaping. At any second one of them might dash against his body, crushing out his life.

Had he been sufficiently free from pain to use his strength unhampered, it would have been a matter of no great difficulty for him to raise himself, hand over hand, to the knot forty feet above. But now every effort made the lumberman wince.

Still, the thing must be done. He stiffened himself for the ordeal, and began to rise. His fellows watched him in silence. They could do nothing to help him.

A few feet up, and he was safe from the attack of the darting logs. Then a sudden faintness overcame him. His strength failed. Was he to drop back now, beaten at the very beginning of his fight?

A climber's trick, remembered from his boyhood, now served him well.

Keeping firm hold with his right hand, he reached down with his left, grasped the loosely swinging rope, brought it up round his body, and twisted it two or three times about the strands above, making a loop in which he could seat himself. For perhaps two minutes he rested in this temporary trapeze, giving his tired arms opportunity to recover their strength. Then he resumed his climb.

For the men on the bluff it was a time of breathless suspense. They could see Jules' face, white and drawn with pain, as he rose slowly. They sympathized with him, knowing the pangs that every motion cost.

Ten, fifteen, twenty feet—higher and higher still. The loop of the rope swung loosely below the driver's body. The mist-wreaths curled round him. As in a dream, he heard the roar of the baffled river, the buffets of the grinding logs.

Twice again, his arms wearied to their limit, he was compelled to improvise a swinging seat. He knew that the banks on each side were lined with his friends, eager to help if the opportunity should offer. He but concentrated all his energies on the task before him.

How far away was the knot? He did not turn his head toward them, looked up and saw it only fifteen feet above. There was a dull ache in the muscles of his arms. At every effort a sharp pain shot through his broken leg. Could he raise himself the remaining distance?

He began to fear that he would never gain the top. What should he do? If he fell back from that height the shock would jerk his arms from their sockets. If he eased himself down gradually it would be utterly impossible to regain his present position.

He faltered, stopped, hung for an instant, wavering. His fate depended upon his next movement. Would it be up or down? And then Robbins, who had watched every inch of his progress with keen, sympathetic eyes, sent out a cry of encouragement:

"Keep on, Jules, keep on! You're almost there!"

That timely note of human sympathy was just what the almost disheartened man needed to inspire him to do his utmost. Fresh energy thrilled him. A dozen more desperate grips upon the rope, and at last he touched the knot.

Flinging both arms over the main cable, he bent his elbows round it, giving a respite to his strained fingers. After hanging thus for a few seconds, he cautiously withdrew his right arm, and felt in his pocket until he found his knife. To open it was a matter of some difficulty, but with the aid of his teeth he finally succeeded.

Then very carefully, his sight blurred by pain, he drew the blade across the lashings that bound the block to the knot. Soon these were severed, and he began cautiously to work himself in toward the bluff, assisted by his comrades pulling on the rope.

It was a good fifty feet from the knot to the bluff, and his progress was slow and painful. But the knowledge that safety was near called out every particle of his reserve strength. Ere long the spruce to which the cable was tied rose only a short distance away.

A few efforts more, and his body brushed through the scrubby juniper that fringed the top of the cliff, and he dropped, fainting, into Robbin's outstretched arms.—Youth's Companion.

Somebody Got His Chickens.

Among the statutes enacted by the last Legislature was one making chicken stealing a felony where the value of the fowls is as much as two dollars.

Chicken stealing out to be a felony. A creature that will steal a chicken would cut a throat or scuttle a ship if he could do so with the same immunity from punishment; and if he would steal less than two dollars' worth of chickens he would certainly steal more if an opportunity offered. It is difficult, therefore, to conceive why the law should be emasculated by the two-dollar limit.—Logan County News.

A Mouse-Eaten Will.

In the Irish Probate Court "administration with the will annexed" has been granted to Mrs. Mary Jane Grue, a Monaghan woman. In reality only a part of the will existed, for the rest of it had been devoured by mice. When Mrs. Grue's father, a farmer, died, no will could be found, though it was known that he had made one in 1886. When the document was eventually discovered, large portions had been eaten by mice. From a copy of the will and a clergyman's evidence, the defects were made good.—London Mail.

Protected the Property.

As a captain in the Confederate army went into battle, he left his tent in the care of his body servant, with a charge to stay there and protect the master's property. The negro retired out of reach of the bullets, however, and, when he met his master again, he said: "I did purtect yo' property, sah! I sholy did! Dem ole cloes ain' wuth nothin'! I'se feared to breth 'em less 'n I git a hole in 'em; but dis property," laying his hand proudly his breast, "is wuth fifteen hundred dollars."

HINTS FOR SLEEPING.

Few people remember that the attitude of the body in sleeping has a direct influence upon the heart, lungs and digestive organs.

The carriage of the body while awake is also largely affected by its position during the third or more of the day spent in sleep.

One should always sleep on the right side. The body should be extended to its full length, and the head thrown well back. The left arm should be thrown as far back as possible, thus expanding the chest.

When one lies on the left side an unusual weight comes just over the heart, which should, of course, be left as free as possible.

Never sleep with the arms extended above the head, or the limbs drawn up, for this interferes with the circulation. It is also a mistake to lie on the stomach, for this tends to cramp the heart and digestive organs.

The lower the pillow the better. High bolsters hold the head at an unusual angle. Many people are made round shouldered by using too high pillows. The habit of sleeping with the head at such an angle is soon acquired. To cure oneself it is well to reduce the height of the pillow gradually.

It is not enough to ventilate the sleeping room at night and in the morning. Drafts of air should pass through it freely throughout the day and all night long. Draperies and hangings about the bed should be done away with, as being likely to collect germs, which it is difficult to remove. If one is afraid of drafts a higher folding screen may be placed about the head of the bed.

The rule of simplicity should hold for all the furnishngs of the room. The room should be comparatively cool for a person of normal health, but the bed should be provided with plenty of warm coverings.

THE HOTEL HABIT IN WOMEN.

The goal of the woman from the out of town districts as soon as prosperity shines upon her is to make the splendor of that prosperity widely known by betaking herself to the city, stopping at the hotel the most gilded, the costliest and most emblazoned upon the public attention.

To be able to pay a stupendous price for the "royal suite" in one of the biggest hotels of the republic is the acme of bliss in many minds. A young man and his wife recently hired a suite of rooms in a new hotel at the rate of 25 pounds a day, exclusive of meals, a circumstance that created far more envy in the breast of most women than if they had learned that this same man had hired a large estate at the same price.

Aside from those who have rooms in the hotels, thousands throng the corridors daily merely for the joy of participating temporarily in the coveted glories. They make appointments to meet their friends in the empire gallery, the red room, the gold lobby or the green salon. They sit in the comfort of those luxuries about the gorgeous corridors and public compartments. "Peacock Alley" one famous hotel corridor is named because of the display to be seen. The various dining rooms from noon until evening are thronged with women, many of them unattended by men who find in this public eating and drinking agreeable substitute for social functions in private houses.—New York Correspondence London Telegraph.

HANDKERCHIEFS TO MATCH.

The French are so particular about little details of their toilet that handkerchiefs to match are carried with almost all light-colored gowns. On the rue de la Paix is a chop where the most exclusive novelties in handkerchiefs are to be found.

Filmy squares of batiste have colored borders, not just a hem, but with the color running away into the handkerchief in curves and prints and dashes, all embroidered in the same tones. There are fashions in mouchoirs as in everything else, and the latest are cobwebby bits of linen or batiste with the embroidery in the four corners very much deeper than the rest of the border. Baskets of flowers and bouquets tied with floating streamers are popular designs. Drawn work patterns, with a tracing of embroidery over them are new, says the Philadelphia Bulletin.

A good idea of individuality is shown in the marking of handkerchiefs; script, old English, quaint Chinese and Arabic-looking letters are used. And over here there are so many titles that the crest is a prominent feature. Save for a single rose or cluster of flowers, this covering for velvet sometimes is the only trimming on top, especially if the hat is rather small, but the bunches of feathers and ribbons beneath the brim more than atone for their absence on top.

JAPANESE WOMEN'S LOYALTY.

There are many instances in Japan of soldiers who have loved their country more passionately even than their families. Americans may think it horrible and incredible, but we Japanese women understand the intense feeling of loyalty which predominates above everything in our soldier' hearts.

In the interior of Japan a young farmer on the outbreak of war was suddenly called to the colors. Two days' preparation was given him to settle his affairs and to start for Tokio. His wife had a very young infant. The young mother was so overcome with grief at this unexpected news that she fainted away and within an hour died, leaving her husband alone with the new-born babe. What could he do with it? Who would care for such a mite? Feeling that his own life was forfeited to his country, the poor man in a frenzy of passionate grief killed his own child. Of course, the law had to step in and he had to be tried for murder. A merciful jury acquitted him on the ground of emotional insanity. Madame Uriu in Harper's Bazar.

LENGTHS IN SKIRTS.

Despite the reports of the reign of lengthy skirts in Paris, femininity hereabouts clings to the short skirt for the street, and for walking generally.

Very sensible, too, since in Paris nobody walks, cab fares being cheap. That's the sad thing about fashions. Certain fashions are designed for certain places, and then are copied any and everywhere, and for all sorts of purposes, quite suggesting the man who always supposed queens wore crowns and low necks all the time because he had seen them pictured thus.

But to the skirt.

There are three lengths. There's the walking skirt, which is three inches, more or less, off the ground. The around length just touches all the way around, and though some wear it on the street, it is a nuisance, setting dust in commotion and refusing to be held up all the way around at once. The third length trails all around, and a trifle more at the back. For every great occasions some long trails are worn.

A WORD AS TO PETTICOATS.

Now that so many of the skirts, even cloth ones, are made without lining, the question of petticoats is a vexing one.

What woman ever saw that blissful day dawn when her freshly washed white petticoat and white or linen skirt were ever the same length.

Silk petticoats are expensive. They are the best for some frocks, but every woman who can uses white instead.

For the city woman, this is a burden-some expense, and she may compromise with short ruffled petticoats of pale blue or pink, or even gingham to match her gowns.

One saving of expense is the short lengths of the skirts.

THE NEW WOMAN.

The new woman is simply the one who, by experience, education and common sense, is qualified to make the largest and best use of her capabilities. She is more delightfully feminine than ever—the attractions of her womanhood more charming. But she is both disciple and apostle of the gospel of health. She is gradually breaking down the terrible conventionality that has bound woman to styles of dress, methods of life and inane activity of mind and body which heretofore fetered her fullest development. Her marvellous individuality seeks more freedom of growth and expression. Nature makes no two individuals alike, either animate or inanimate, and the new woman would follow this universal law to a reasonable extent rather than submit to repression of her individuality down to the dead level of uniformity. Yet this individuality is attained with a tact, a feminity, an intuitive appreciation of public sentiment, which is as delicious as it is effective.—Good Housekeeping.

FILIAL CONFIDENCE.

A girl who has been taught by her mother to respect the confidence of others, learns at the same time how safe her own will be in her mother's loving care. In the desire for complete confidence between mother and daughter neither should forget that a due reserve is both necessary and desirable in regard to the confidence of other people. No girl should repeat, no mother listen to, anything which has been obviously said to the girl alone. Besides a desire for unlimited confidence is a sign of weakness on both sides. A certain amount of reserve is the hall mark of all strong characters.—Woman's Life.

FASHION HINTS.

Shirring on heavy cords is a favorite means of trimming simple gowns, and even when used on handsomest costumes, is very effective.

A charming white dotted muslin gown had a full skirt trimmed with five graduated tucks above a hem which served as a sixth tuck. Between the two groups of three was a broad band of Irish lace.

Unless a bargain can be worn at least a part of next season, it is no bargain at all.

GINGER CRAK.

Pure vinegar, one cupful, sugar syrup, one cupful; ground ginger, one tablespoonful; spring water, one gallon; yeast, sufficient, or half a cake compressed. Mix; let it stand in a warm place a day or two; cork tight and keep in a cool place until wanted for use.

CHICKEN ROLLS.

Melt four tablespoonfuls of butter, add a pinch of salt, a little pepper and two tablespoonfuls of lemon juice. Mix with this one cupful of minced chicken; add one-third cupful of milk and thicken with a little flour. Mould into rolls or croquettes and fry in hot fat. Serve with a white sauce seasoned with lemon juice.

COCOANUT LAYER CAKE.

Cream one and a half cups of sugar and one-half cup of butter. Add a half cup of milk and one cup of freshly grated cocoanut. Sift in two cups of flour and two teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Fold in last the whites of four eggs. Bake in layer tins. Spread with a soft icing made by mixing the whites of two eggs and a cup of fresh, grated cocoanut with enough powdered sugar to make it stiff. A little orange or lemon rind grated is an improvement.

A TOMATO DISH.

An Italian dish of tomatoes is described in Good Housekeeping. Select not too ripe tomatoes and cut off about a quarter of an inch from the blossom end, using a very sharp knife. Scoop out part of the pulp and fill the tomato cup with well-washed and soaked rice, in which has been mixed a little chopped parsley, a pinch of several pungent herbs, salt, red pepper and a good portion of olive oil. Bake the tomatoes in a deep baking dish in seasoned olive oil, two thirds of a cup of fine tomatoes. Cook in a moderate oven until the rice is quite tender, and the skins of the tomatoes begin to wrinkle. Serve hot with a little of the oil in which they were baked.

RICH SAGO PUDDING.

Here is a recipe for the favorite pudding of a housekeeper of the last generation, who served it to her family after the simple Sunday dinner customary in her day: Soak six heaping teaspoonfuls of sago in a quart of sweet milk for five hours. Then add a quart of boiling milk. Cook till soft. Beat the yolks of six eggs in a pudding dish with a teacup of sugar and a little nutmeg. Then when the sago is soft stir it into the eggs and sugar. Bake twenty minutes. After the pudding has been set away to cool beat up the whites of the six eggs until they are a stiff froth and fold into them three tablespoonfuls of sugar. Spread this meringue over the top of the pudding and brown it in the oven. A little jelly is sometimes spread over the pudding before adding the meringue.

USEFUL HINTS.

To keep bright grates from rust, make a strong paste of fresh lime and water, and with a brush smear it thickly over the polished surface.

If a lamp smells unpleasantly you may be quite certain that some part of it is dirty. Duplex burners need to be taken apart and thoroughly cleaned once a month.

A reliable test for mushrooms, says an experienced housekeeper, is to put a bit of silver, such as a well washed dime, into a dish in which they are cooked. If it discolors the mushrooms are unfit for food.

To clean very dirty brass, scrub with a nail-brush, dipped in powdered bath-brick dust and paraffin.

A tablespoonful of sal-soda, over which boiling water is poured, is recommended for taking stains off coffee pots.

Treat the baby as a tropical plant, advises Good Housekeeping, and do not try to toughen him by taking him out every day.

Medicine stains on silver should be rubbed with a little methylated spirit, and the spoon then washed in warm soapy water.

It is a relief after the long regime of the iron and brass beds to see wooden beds offered for cottage furnishings. The new beds are very simple in design and are as pretty as possible.

A work and worry saver for housewives is a table, or flat shelf, higher than the kitchen table on which to do work which requires bending over—or would, without such a convenience.

Sheets and pillow cases should be carefully folded when dry, then the ironing is made easy.

In order to keep silver that is not in constant use in a god condition, fill a paper with alternate layers of forks, spoons and other objects and common flour that is perfectly dry.

The footplate of a sewing machine, which is the metal plate under the needle, should be taken off occasionally, so that the fluff which has accumulated under it may be removed.

It should always be remembered that in fumigating a room by means of burning sulphur, water should be kept boiling in the room at the same time, as sulphur vapor is less effective in a dry atmosphere than in a moist one.

A veteran housekeeper says that washing lamp chimneys is a waste of time. Just hold them over the steam from a boiling tea kettle, then rub them off with a dry newspaper folded.

A BIG STORE WRECKED

Many Persons Are Killed By the Falling Walls.

FORTY PERSONS ARE MISSING.

There Were Over Four Hundred in the Building—Of These Over One Hundred Are Known to Be More or Less Seriously Injured—Five Bodies Have Thus Far Been Taken from the Wreck.

Albany, N. Y. (Special).—Death and destruction followed the collapse of the central section of the five-story building occupied by the department store of the John G. Myers Company, on North Pearl street, shortly before 9 o'clock in the morning. Of the 400 employes on the payroll, three-quarters of whom are women and young girls and cash boys, nearly a hundred were temporarily or permanently buried in the debris.

It was next to impossible to get anywhere near a correct list of the dead and missing. The offices and books of the corporation were carried down in the wreckage, including the list of employes. Of the 400 employes on the payroll 50 were on a vacation and of the remainder the names of 250 were secured. Of this 250 40 were missing or unaccounted for. Of the other hundred 50 were cash boys, of whom there is no list, and 50 were men and women clerks, whose names could not be learned.

Robert M. Chalmers, one of the members of the firm, was cut out of the wreckage, but luckily was not seriously injured. It was estimated that there were at least 25 more bodies buried in the ruins, but this was pure guess-work, though considered conservative.

The employes who were figuring up the missing at 8 o'clock said that 75 employes were unaccounted for, but this number grew gradually less as the night advanced.

The building is in the center of the block on Pearl street, and runs through to James street, and is 64 feet wide and 200 feet deep. Alterations have been going on for the past two months, and under the central section of the building excavation was going on in order to construct a subcellar 12 feet deep.

The main support of this central section on the basement floor were steel girders resting on a pillar in the center of the building, which was continued on up to the roof. In the morning workmen cut through the floor on each side of this pillar for the purpose of shoring it up from the excavation below. This work, however, was delayed too long, for, while the work was progressing and without warning, the pillar which rested on a stone foundation standing on a clay bottom, slipped, and in less time than it takes to tell it, all four floors of the central section of the building buckled downward in the center, to be followed a few minutes afterward by the roof.

There was hardly a moment's warning to the great mass of employes of the impending catastrophe. Those in the danger zone had but a few moments' notice. They were in the basement, where the main pillar to be shored up was located, and while this was going on the counters were noticed to slant. The head of this department at once warned everyone off the floor, and all the clerks under him escaped none too soon. So did the 31 men working for the contractors in that section.

It was on the upper floors or main business sections of the building where the employes were taken unawares, and that so many escaped even with slight injuries is nothing short of a miracle. Within three minutes after the first cries of alarm were heard a section of the building from cellar to roof, 64 by 100 feet, had collapsed, and all four floors, heavily laden with goods, and the roof had plunged into the basement.

The scenes which followed were harrowing. Many thought the building had been blown up by an explosion. Numbers of employes were too stunned by the shock to move. They had to be forced out of the building. Those who kept their presence of mind quickly choked the back fire-escape and the front entrances. Many found themselves out on the street, not knowing how they got there or why they were there. Then quickly came a realizing sense of the disaster and death which had followed in the wake of the shock.

Within half an hour a corps of 25 physicians was on the scene, and the hospitals promptly dispatched the necessary nurses and ambulances.

Lamont Left $3,300,000.

New York (Special).—An estate valued at $3,300,000 is left by the late Colonel Daniel S. Lamont, Secretary of War under President Cleveland, according to Mr. Lamont's will, filed for probate here. Mrs. Lamont and her three daughters are the beneficiaries. The estate is valued at $3,000,000 in personal property and $300,000 in real property.

No Comedy in the Pulpit.

Chautauqua, N. Y. (Special).—Dr. James M. Buckley, chairman of the Episcopacy Committee of the Methodist Episcopal Church, declared in an address that a clergyman has no right to make his congregation laugh and that to do so is irreverence. "Yet, there are a good many clowns in the pulpit," he concluded.

Mill Girl Inherits Fortune.

Utica, N. Y. (Special).—By the will of Thomas Fitzgerald, who died recently in Los Angeles, Cal., $200,000 will be divided among two brothers and a niece residing in Little Falls, N. Y. The niece works in a mill. When told of her good fortune she was asked if she would now resign her position.

Suffocated in a Well.

Charlotte, N. C. (Special).—At Wadesboro George Culbersome and Charles Covington were suffocated in a well in which they were at work. Culbersome was lowered first. Not hearing from him after several moments Covington went down to see what was the matter. He was also overcome by the gas. The bodies of the two men were brought to the surface several hours after death.

COMMERCIAL REVIEW.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s "Weekly Review of Trade" says:

"Business conditions continue to expand in a wholesome manner that promises well for the future. Reports from the leading branches of manufacture are unanimous in telling of an increasing volume of orders and the percentage of idle machinery steadily diminishes. Textile plants made the best returns, closely followed by footwear factories, and some divisions of the steel industry are engaged so far ahead that capacity is extended. Better prospects for the crops removes the only handicap that impeded the revival of trade and favorable weather for a few weeks will assure unprecedented production in the aggregate, although the yield of cotton will fall considerably behind last year's.

"The month of July made a most encouraging exhibit in so far as statistics are available, liabilities of failures being smaller than in any month since April, 1901, and railway earnings surpassing last year's by 9.1 per cent.

"Quiet conditions in the leading iron and steel markets do not prevent activity at the mills, which operate freely on old contracts and are preparing for a vigorous Fall campaign.

"Failures this week in the United States are 232, against 214 last week, 193 the preceding week and 230 the corresponding week last year, and in Canada 26, against 27 last week, 23 the preceding week and 18 last year."

Bradstreet's says:

"Wheat, including flour, exports for the week are 1,041,666 bushels, against 723,314 (correct) last week, 1,375,198 this week last year, 3,040,629 in 1903 and 4,244,363 in 1902. Corn exports for the week are 1,013,675 bushels, against 773,621 last week, 273,365 a year ago, 884,428 in 1903 and 70,611 in 1902.

WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Baltimore, Md.—FLOUR—Dull and unchanged; receipts, 11,868 barrels; exports, 298 barrels.

WHEAT—Easier; spot, contract, 83@83¼; spot No. 2 Western, 84¼@84½; August, 83@83¼; September, 83½@83¾; December, 86¼@86⅜; steamer No. 2 red, 77@77¼; receipts, 70,267 bushels; new Southern by sample, 50@81; new Southern on grade, 79@84½.

CORN—Easier; spot, 60@60¼; August, 60@60¼; September, 59½@59¾; year, 49½@49¾; January, 49@49¼; steamer mixed, 57½@57¾; receipts, 16,045 bushels; Southern white corn, 56@60; Southern yellow corn, 50@63½.

OATS—Unsettled; old No. 2 white, 34½@34¾; old No. 2 mixed, 31½@31¾; receipts, 19,055 bushels.

RYE—Steady (uptown); No. 2 Western, 65@66.

HAY—Easier; old No. 1 timothy, 15.00@15.50; old No. 1 clover mixed, 12.00@12.50.

BUTTER—Steady, unchanged; fancy imitation, 17@18; fancy creamery, 21½@22; fancy ladle, 16@17; store-packed, 14@15.

EGGS—Firm, 18.

CHEESE—Firm, unchanged; large, 11½; medium, 11¾; small, 12.

SUGAR—Firm, unchanged; coarse granulated, 5.45; fine, 5.45.

New York.—RYE—Dull; No. 2 Western, 71 asked c. i f. New York.

WHEAT—Receipts, 2,000 bushels. Spot, easy; No. 2 red, 88 elevator; No. 2 red, 89½ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 1.15¼ f. o. b. afloat.

CORN—Receipts, 58,125 bushels; exports, 139,904 bushels. Spot, easy; No. 2, 61¼ elevator and 61¼ f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 61½; No. 2 white, 62.

OATS—Receipts, 33,000 bushels; exports, 1,095 bushels. Spot market, quiet; mixed oats, 26 to 32 pounds, 32½@33; natural white, 30 to 32 pounds, 35@36½; clipped white, 36 to 40 pounds, 37@39.

BUTTER—Easier; receipts, 9,466; street price, extra creamery, 21½@21¾; official prices unchanged.

CHEESE—Quiet, unchanged; receipts, 1,171; weekly exports, 2,020 boxes.

EGGS—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 5,499.

POULTRY—Alive, quiet; Western chickens, 14; fowls, 13; turkeys, 13; dressed, easy; Western chickens, 14@16; fowls, 14; turkeys, 13@17.

RYE FLOUR—Steady; fair to good, 4.15@4.50; choice to fancy, 4.50@4.85.

CORNMEAL—Steady; fine white and yellow, 1.30; coarse, 1.16@1.18; kiln-dried, 3.20.

HAY—Firm; shipping, 60@65; good to choice 85@90.

HIDES—Firm; Galveston, 20; California, 19; Texas, dry, 18½.

POTATOES—Easy; Long Island, 1.62@1.75; Southern, 1.00@1.50; Jersey sweets, 2.25@2.75.

PEANUTS—Quiet; fancy hand-picked, 5@5¼; other domestic, 3@5½.

CABBAGE—Easy; Long Island, per 100, 5.00@6.00.

Live Stock.

New York—BEEVES—Dressed beef, slow at 7@9. Exports, 930 head beeves and 6,600 quarters of beef.

CALVES—No trading of importance; feeling steady; city dressed veals, slow at 8@12; country dressed, steady at 5@10½.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Sheep dull and 15@25c lower; good lambs, about steady; common and medium moving more freely at a decline of 25@35c. About all sold. Sheep sold at 3.00@4.50; culls, 2.50; lambs, 5.75@7.40; dressed mutton, weak at 6½@9; dressed lambs, lower at 8@11½.

Chicago.—CATTLE—Market, steady; good to prime steers, 5.25@5.90; poor to medium, 3.75@5.00; stockers and feeders, 2.25@4.25; cows, 2.40@4.60; heifers, 2.25@5.00; canners, 1.25@2.40; bulls, 2.40@4.00; calves, 3.00@7.00; Texas-fed steers, 3.60@4.75.

MUCH IN LITTLE.

There are more railway tunnels, viaducts and railroad bridges in Switzerland than in any other country in the old world.

Owing to the rapid growth of the United States, the English language is now spoken by more persons than use any other civilized tongue.

It is said that in Benton county, Ind., there are a million rods of tiling under the fields, making them fertile and tillable. The land averages worth $115 to $135 an acre.

Relics Found in Irish Bog.

Interesting finds have been made in the Stokestown, County Roscommon, Ireland, district during the operation of turf cutting from the bogs. What is supposed to be a gold tray or salver of great antiquity and of a rare Celtic design, together with a pair of old duelling pistols, was unearthed, and not far from the spot where these articles were discovered the turf men found, some eighteen feet below the surface, a coffin containing a skeleton, to which were clinging fragments of clothing, evidently of rich material. From some mouldering military emblems found in the coffin it is surmised that the remains are those of a French officer of high rank, who must have died on the march from Killala, in the year of the French invasion. On the top of the coffin was a horse pistol. Some of the relics are to be exhibited.

"Good Time" 200 Years Ago.

At the beginning of the eighteenth century a number of ruffianly young men of the higher classes—called by Swift "a race of rakes that play the devil about the town every night"—known as "Mohocks," infested London, sallying out drunk into the streets, carrying short clubs loaded with lead at both ends, and perpetrating shameful cruelties upon peaceable passers-by, wantonly wounding and disfiguring the men and subjecting all alike to atrocious insults.

Lecky says that matrons, inclosed in barrels, were rolled down the steep and stony Snow hill. Watchmen were unmercifully beaten, and their noses were slit. Coaches and chairs were overturned on rubbish heaps and country gentlemen visiting the theaters had to be accompanied by their armed retainers, as if in time of war.

Tavern Signs Buried.

Whenever an inn on the Cumberland estates of the Howards, earls of Carlisle, loses its license, the inn sign is buried. The obsequies take place at dead of night, in the presence of as many of the old customers as can be collected. As a sort of libation a bottle of spirits, generally whisky, is poured into the grave, and an appropriate burial service repeated. The temperance advocates in the crowd cheer lustily, and the droughty element become mock mourners, or jesters, as the fancy takes them. The strains of a concertina or some similar instrument usually help to enliven the proceedings. The last inn to have its sign buried was the Moor Cock, at Lanercost, whose license was taken away by the Brampton justices.

A Swan in Mourning.

A swan about which a curious story is told in Cumberland, England, has just returned for its summer visit to Moorhouse Farm.

Originally the swan took up his abode on the lakelet in company with his mate, but their nest was robbed and the female bird died, apparently broken-hearted. The bereaved consort covered the body with leaves and seeds and departed.

Every spring since he has regularly returned to the grave always alone, and, with the water hens for company, swims disconsolately about the farm throughout the summer.—London Daily Mail.

Cow Completed the Circuit.

A telephone wire blew down at Manchester, Va., and fell across an electric light wire. The end of the telephone wire found lodgment on the wire fence which incloses the pasture of C. C. Bell. One of Mr. Bell's cows fouled the fence some distance from the break and was instantly killed.

New York is taking an interest in the Philadelphia market. Considerable Lehigh Valley, United Gas Improvement and Reading has gone to that city lately.

The Reading Railway Company shipped 913,666 tons of anthracite during July, a decrease of 5053 tons as compared with the same period in 1904.

HEART RIGHT
When He Quit Coffee.

Life Insurance Companies will not insure a man suffering from heart trouble. The reason is obvious.

This is a serious matter to the husband or father who is solicitous for the future of his dear ones. Often the heart trouble is caused by an unexpected thing, and can be corrected if taken in time and properly treated. A man in Colorado writes:

"I was a great coffee drinker for many years, and was not aware of the injurious effects of the habit till I became a practical invalid, suffering from heart trouble, indigestion and nervousness to an extent that made me wretchedly miserable myself and a nuisance to those who witnessed my sufferings.

"I continued to drink Coffee, however, not suspecting that it was the cause of my ill-health, till, on applying for life insurance I was rejected on account of the trouble with my heart. Then I became alarmed. I found that leaving off coffee helped me quickly, so I quit it altogether, and having been attracted by the advertisements of Postum Food Coffee I began its use.

"The change in my condition was remarkable, and it was not long till I was completely cured. All my ailments vanished. My digestion was completely restored, my nervousness disappeared, and, most important of all, my heart steadied down and became normal, and on a second examination I was accepted by the life insurance Co. Quitting Coffee and using Postum worked the cure." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason, and it is explained in the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in each pkg.

AMERICA'S BRIGHTEST WOMAN.

Mary E. Lease Feels It Her Duty to Recommend Doan's Kidney Pills.

Mary E. Lease, formerly political leader and orator of Kansas, now author and lecturer—the only woman ever voted on for United States Senator, writes:

Dear Sirs—As many of my friends have used Doan's Kidney Pills and have been cured of bladder and kidney troubles, I feel it my duty to recommend the medicine to those who suffer from such diseases. From personal experience I thoroughly endorse your remedy, and am glad of an opportunity for saying so. Yours truly,

(Signed) MARY ELIZABETH LEASE.

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Judge Ready with Compliments.

Judge Whitman is the only bachelor on the board of city magistrates in New York. He was called upon one forenoon to marry a couple from Philadelphia. The bride handed him a handsome rose from her bouquet and said: "I want you to take it home to your wife." "I shall be delighted to accept it," said his honor, "but can't I wear it myself? I have no wife." The bride looked at him with compassion. "That's too bad," she said, "and you so good-looking." Then she turned to him suddenly and said: "Won't you come over to Philadelphia and let me introduce you to my sister?" "If she looks like you," responded the judge with a bow, "I shall be tempted to take the next train."

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Buckwheat is a corruption of "beechwheat."

Piso's Cure cannot be too highly spoken of as a cough cure.—J. W. O'BRIEN, 322 Third Avenue, N., Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 6, 1900.

Bombs, it is said, were first thrown March 24, 1380.

F. P. GREEN'S SONS, of Atlanta, Ga., are the only successful Dropsy Specialists in the world. See their liberal offer in advertisement in another column of this paper.

The word "billion" in England means a million millions.

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Baby Covered With Sores and Scaled—Could Not Tell What She Looked Like—Marvelous Cure by Cuticura.

"At four months old my baby's face and body were so covered with sores and large scales you could not tell what she looked like. No child ever had a worse case. Her face was being eaten away, and even her finger nails fell off. It itched so she could not sleep, and for many weary nights we could get no rest. At last we got Cuticura Soap and Ointment. The sores began to heal at once, and she could sleep at night, and in one month she had not one sore on her face or body.—Mrs. Mary Sanders, 709 Spring St., Camden, N. J."

The Ranchwoman.

The success of Mrs. W. N. Sherman and the beauty of her hospitable home, the famous Minnewawa ranch in California, should be an incentive to every woman to hold fast to the home instinct while winning her way in the business world. In the face of much opposition and caustic comment Mrs. Sherman, soon after leaving an eastern college, bought a large tract of unimproved land near Fresno, determined by her own efforts to develop its possibilities.

Her success is indicated by the fact that Minnewawa is valued at over five times the original investment. During the busiest season there are over 400 people at work on the ranch and in the cannery. Since discovering that by personal oversight of the packing her grapes brought from $100 to $500 more per carload than when left to the supervision of others, Mrs. Sherman very sagely concluded that a woman can be a real helper, even though she leave the care of the household to some one else. Mrs. Sherman has not confined her efforts to raisin growing alone, but has a national reputation as a stock raiser and fruit grower.—Pilgrim.

Actor Would Not Die.

Dutton Cook, in his "Book of the Play," tells an American stage anecdote of an English melodramatic actor with the pseudonym of Bill Shipton, who, enacting a British officer in the "Early Life of Washington," got so stupidly intoxicated that when Miss Cuff, who played the youthful hero, had to fight and kill him in a duel, Bill Shipton wouldn't die; he even said loudly on the stage that he wouldn't.

Mary Cuff fought on until she was ready to faint and after she had repeated his cue for dying, which was, "Cowardly, hired assassin!" for the fourteenth time, he absolutely jumped off the stage, not even pretending to be on the point of death. Our indignant citizens then chased him all over the house and he only escaped by jumping into the coffin which they bring on in "Hamlet," "Romeo" and "Richard."

A Hard Hit.

"Yes, I weighed myself yesterday out at the stockyards. How much do you s'pose? Give it up? Two hundred and eighty-three."

"On the hoof, or dressed."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

SOME CURES FOR INSOMNIA.

The Victim of Disagreeable Trouble Must Study Himself.

Lying awake is often a habit. It is worth almost any effort to break up such a habit, says the Philadelphia Inquirer.

Insomnia is usually the result of one of three things—poor circulation, indigestion or mental distress. The person who studies himself carefully will be able to locate the difficulty and treat himself accordingly.

For poor circulation try warm baths, warm-water bottles, brisk rubbing, soaking the feeting and deep breathing.

For indigestion take a warm drink before retiring or when sleepless. Drink warm water, warm milk, weak tea or cocoa and breathe deeply.

For mental distress mere will power is the best. Close the eyes and as fast as the thoughts come drive them out. Carry on in the mind a house-cleaning process.

Sweet sleep and plenty of it will go a great way toward keeping women young. When sleep departs wrinkles come.

It is by sleep that we gain strength for another day. Sleep is to the brain and nerves what food is to the body.

Here are a few simple, tried rules for driving away insomnia:

Go to bed warm. Never go to bed with cold feet.

If the events of the day have been trying, read a short, light story before retiring.

Leave the window down at the top and protect the bed from drafts.

As soon as the body touches the bed relax the muscles, shut the eyes and make ready to sleep. Nothing drives away sleep more quickly than the thought that one can't sleep.

Bait Took a Trip.

It was a young Norway, Me., man who went to the Rangeleys on a fishing trip, and was forehanded enough to take a large can of worms with him for bait. During the noon hour on the first day that he fished he hid the can from the other fishermen by placing it on the truck frame of a freight car standing on a nearby siding. He was somewhat suprised on his return, an hour later, to find that the car was miles away on its journey to Rumford Falls.

The State Forester of Massachusetts urges the study of forestry

Doctor Brigham Says

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Dr. S. C. Brigham, of 4 Brigham Park, Fitchburg, Mass., writes:

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"My oldest daughter found it very beneficial for uterine trouble some time ago, and my youngest daughter is now taking it for a female weakness, and is surely gaining in health and strength.

"I freely advocate it as a most reliable specific in all diseases to which women are subject, and give it honest endorsement."

Women who are troubled with painful or irregular menstruation, bloating (or flatulence), leucorrhœa, falling, inflammation or ulceration of the uterus, ovarian troubles, that bearing-down feeling, dizziness, faintness, indigestion, nervous prostration or the blues, should take immediate action to ward off the serious consequences, and be restored to perfect health and strength by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and then write to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., for further free advice. No living person has had the benefit of a wider experience in treating female ills. She has guided thousands to health. Every suffering woman should ask for and follow her advice if she wants to be strong and well.

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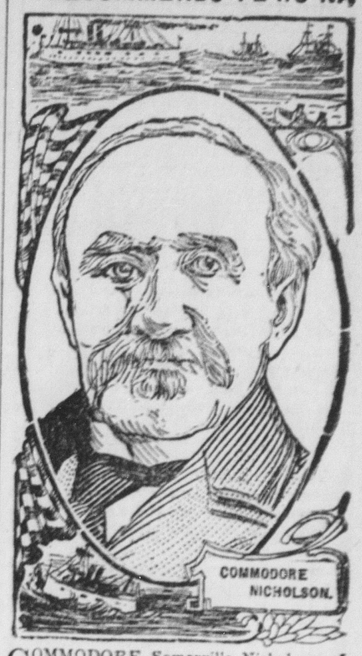

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THE CENTRE RE PORTER

THURSDAY, AUGUST 17, 1905.

CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

Reformed—Centre Hall, morning, Harvest Home ; Tusseyville, afternoon, Harvest Home.

Methodist—Sprucetown, Saturday 7:30p m.,Love feast Sunday 9:30 a. m., preaching and communion 10:30 a. m ; Centre Hall, 2:30 p. m. ; Spring Mills, 7:30 p. m;

Presbyterian—Spring Mills, morning ; Centre Hall, evening.

Evangelical—Lemont, morning ; Linden Hall, afternoon.

[Appointments not given here have not been reported to this office.]

Old Billy the Horse.

Somebody once said, *Billy ought to be dead,*
" Old Billy, " the horse, you know ;
The faithful old horse, so noble and true,
Because he was old and slow.

" Kill old Billy, " old " uncle Billy ? "
Not while his master can tend him ;
His first owner is gone, no more to return,
And his second will ever defend him.

With old " uncle Billy " we don't want to be [silly,
But the old fellow shall have good care
For the work he has done, in the past for one
Whose wishes we ever will share.

" Old Billy, " you see, you belong to me,
And you *well* deserve a pension ;
And that you shall have as long as *I* live.
In good feed and special attention.

Farmers' Institutes.

Philipsburg, November 28-29.
Pleasant Gap, November 30.
Rebersburg, December 1-2.

Granulated Sugar—6c.

Granulated sugar, in two and five pound packages, at six cents per pound—C. W. Swartz, Tusseyville.

Festival Tonight.

The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs will hold a festival on Grange Park, tonight (Thursday) at which time ice cream, cake, etc., will be served. All are invited.

A Paying Adv.

A texas girl advertised for a husband and she got him. The total expenses for advertising, wedding outfit, etc., were $11. Within a year he died, leaving her an insurance policy of $10,000. And yet some people say it does not pay to advertise.

Boy Badly Injured.

Last Friday morning the little seven year old son of Allen Keep, of Coburn, met with a terrible accident. He was playing in the overhead of the barn, when he suddenly missed his footing and fell to the barn floor. His leg was badly broken and crushed from the hip to the knee. Monday morning he was taken to the Bellefonte Sanitarium for treatment.

Holidays for Rural Carriers.

Postmaster General Cortelyou has issued orders that services on all rural free delivery routes shall be suspended on New Year's day, Washington's birthday, Memorial day, Fourth of July, Labor day and Thanksgiving day. In the future no special orders will be sent out to rural carriers, but they will not be required to go over their routes these days without further orders.

Transfer of Real Estate.

Andrew J. Weibly, et. ux., to Andrew C. Bowes, Aug. 5, 1905 ; lot No. 8, block 25 State College. $2550.

John W. Maynards trustees to Geo. T. Bush, Aug. 1, 1905, ½ interest in land in Spring twp. $525.

Louisa T. Bush to Geo. T. Bush, Aug. 4, 1905, ½ interest in land in Spring twp. $525.

John Ibberson to Ester Summerville, July 8, 1905, 3 lots in Rush twp. $1600.50.

J. B. Inis, et. al., to Guss Odell, Dec. 7, 1903, lot in Rush twp. $30.

Guss Odell, et. ux., to Katie Sughrue, July 25, 1905, lot in Rush twp. $50.

Robert A. Beck to Sallie M. Hayes, Aug. 1, 1905, house and lot in Bellefonte. $3500.

Mary R. Taylor to Silas R. Thompson, Aug. 4, 1905, lot in Philipsburg. $200.

Mary Hughes, et. bar., to Ben. Kazmark, Aug. 1, 1905, lot in Rush twp. $260.

E. C. Poorman, et. ux., et. al., to Mrs. Emma Shawley, Aug. 3, 1905, house and lot in Boggs twp. $750.

Show at Lewistown.

If you are a lover of good, wholesome music you should not fail to hear the large and superb concert band connected with the great Sig. Sautelle and Welsh Bros.' Combined Railroad Shows, which will exhibit in Lewistown, Saturday, Aug. 19, afternoon and evening.

This band is composed of 30 solo musicians, under the direction of Prof. Chamberlain, a leader of admirable ability. In all the world there are few similar aggregations which can compare with this imperial arenic and military band, which renders promenade concerts from 1 to 2 and 7 to 8 p. m., and furnishes the inspiring music throughout the performances.

The concert band of the Sig. Sautelle and Welsh Bros.' circus has been receiving the most flattering criticisms thoughout the country.

Prof. Chamberlain's splendid select band will also appear in the monster street parade at 10 a. m., on the above day and date. In Lewistown the exhibition place will be South Main St., River View Dairy Farm.

Centre Reporter $1.00 a year.

MT. ROCK, NOT GIBRALTAR, SLUGGED

For Six Runs—Score a Tie—Poor Batting Counteracted Good Fielding on the Part of the Visiting Nine.

The boys had their inning Saturday. Compared with the Juniors, of Centre Hall, the Mt. Rock team was apparently a Gibraltar—but the score was a tie, six and six.

For a scrub game—the word scrub not to be used in the vulgar sense, but to convey the idea of non-professional—the game Saturday was one full of interest. A number of brilliant plays were made, notably among them catches by Anderson, Fulton and Wellers ; Musser, three bagger ; two baggers by Anderson, Bailey, Coldron, Goodhart.

Pitcher Musser did splendid work. It was his first game in the box, and the man before him discovered all kinds of balls up his sleeve. What is more, he is sure, leaving very few men to base on balls. Musser is seventeen years old. He was looked upon with disdain by men in their twenties, past the middle, some of them, with physiques to be proud of, but a batting record now shattered. Even the heavy "slugger," Dreibelbis, failed to find the ball.

With the home team it was good batting and poor fielding ; with the visitors it was the reverse.

Blomster, the catcher, is as nimble as a cat and must have had a good night's rest. He has no more fear of a bat—a baseball bat, when swinging at the batter's will—than a mountaineer has for appendicitis in huckleberry season.

The only thing that riled the visitors was to hear the "swish" of the bat through the air, and it was declared by the spectators that it was their everlastingly pounding the air that brought on so suddenly a heavy rain, which prevented the tie from being decided.

Umpire Asher Stahl was credited, by both teams and spectators, with giving a square deal

CENTRE HALL.

	RUNS	HITS
Goodhart, lf	0	1
Coldron, 3b	0	1
Blomster, c	1	1
Bailey, 1b	2	2
Homan, rf	0	1
Anderson, cf	1	1
Bradford, ss	1	0
Musser, p	1	1
Jacobs, 2b	0	1
Totals	6	9

ROCK VIEW.

	RUNS	HITS
Dreibelbis, 2b	0	0
Shuey, 3b	2	1
Bloom, p	1	0
Wellers, ss	1	1
Walters, 1b	1	1
Neese, c	0	0
Wonser, rf	1	1
Shivery, cf	0	1
Fulton, lf	0	0
Totals	6	5

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Niagara Falls Excursions.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has selected the following dates for its popular ten-day excursions to Niagara Falls from Washington and Baltimore : July 7 and 21, August 11 and 25, September 8 and 22, and October 13. On these dates the special will leave Washington at 7.55 a. m., Baltimore 9.00 a. m., York 10.40 a. m., Harrisburg 11.40 a. m., Millersburg 12.20 p. m., Sunbury 12.58 p. m., Williamsport 2.30 p. m., Lock Haven 3.08 p. m., Renovo 3.55 p. m., Emporium Junction 5.05 p. m., arriving Niagara Falls at 9.35 p. m.

Excursion tickets good for return passage on any regular train, exclusive of limited express trains, within ten days, will be sold at $10.00 from Washington and Baltimore ; $9.35 from York ; $10.00 from Littlestown ; $10.00 from Oxford, Pa. ; $9.35 from Columbia ; $8.50 from Harrisburg ; $10.00 from Winchester, Va. ; $7.80 from Altoona; $7.40 from Tyrone ; $6.45 from Bellefonte ; $5.10 from Ridgway ; $6.90 from Sunbury and Wilkesbarre ; $5.75 from Williamsport, and at proportionate rates from principal points. A stop-over will be allowed at Buffalo within limit of ticket returning.

The special trains of Pullman parlor cars and day coaches will be run with each excursion running through to Niagara Falls. An extra charge will be made for parlor-car seats.

An experienced tourist agent and chaperon will accompany each excursion.

For descriptive pamphlet, time of connecting trains and further information apply to nearest ticket agent, or address Geo. W. Boyd, General Passenger Agent, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia. (Aug. 17.)

Watch for the Eclipse.

The event of the year among astronomers will be the total eclipse of the sun Wednesday, August 30. This eclipse is visible in the eastern part of the United States, the whole of Europe, Western Asia, and the northern and central portions of Africa.

The eclipse begins on the earth generally at twenty-nine minutes after five in the morning at a point in the eastern end of Middlesex county, Virginia, near the mouth of the Rappahannock river. It will be visible in the vicinity of Centre Hall at practically the same time, and will end at about 7 :20 a. m.

LOCALS.

During these hot days keep your "dander" down.

The Centre County Pomona Grange will meet at Milesburg, Thursday, 24th inst., at 10 o'clock.

The Central Pennsylvania District Firemen's Convention meets at Philipsburg, August 24 and 25.

Misses Mabel and Grace Auman, daughters of Ezra Auman, of Millheim, were guests at the home of M. L. Emerick, in this place.

Mrs. Daniel Gress and baby Margaret, Tuesday morning, went to Adamsburg, Westmoreland county, where they will spend a short time with relatives and friends.

Beginning of this week, Hon. L. Rhone was in Williamsport to make arrangements for special trains over the branch during the encampment and exhibition.

A. W. Clark, Assistant Chemist at Pennsylvania State College, has resigned to accept a position in the New York State Agricultural Experiment Station at Geneva.

Of the Kulp properties at Milroy the farm was sold to L. F. Treaster for $6250, three lots to Charles Smithers for $100 each, and a house and lot to Ner Thompson for $1710.

In another column will be found the advertisement of Wm. H. Blauser, the new Potters Mills merchant. The store was formally opened Monday of this week. Read his adv.

Mrs. A. L. Musser, of Clearfield, accompanied by her three little children, after spending several days with her mother, Mrs. Sarah Durst, in Centre Hall, returned to her home, Monday afternoon.

During a storm Saturday afternoon lightning struck the livery stable of Robert Ramsey at Jersey Shore and soon the building was a mass of flames and was practically destroyed, as well as a lot of hay and grain.

The Lewistown Democrat and Sentinel says : Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Crawford, of Bellefonte, are visiting at the home of Postmaster Reynolds at Reedsville. Mr. Crawford is the sales agent for Potter & Hoy, wholesale hardware merchants of Bellefonte.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sandoe, Tuesday morning, returned to Pittsburg, after a visit of some weeks with the former's parents, in this place. Mr. Sandoe will begin railroading today (Thursday). He is an engineer and has had a number of rather unique experiences on the road.

Molly Elliot Seawell's novelette, "The Chateau of Montplasir," which opens the September Smart Set, is just the kind of story one wishes to read in warm weather. It is delightfully humorous from beginning to end, and, while some of the situations are hilariously laughable, the author never oversteps the bounds of probability.

J. P. Weber, assisted by Frank Young, Thomas R. and Jacob Weber, all of Boalsburg, are painting the Centre Hall Flouring Mills, owned by John H. and S. E. Weber. Paint, in this case as in all others, is making a vast improvement on the mill property. Mr. Weber has a great deal of painting to do at present, his next work being to paint the large Tressler barn, near Oak Hall Station.

A birthday party was recently given in honor of Mrs. Emanuel Fye, at her home at Farmer's Mills. There were a large number of guests present and the event proved most enjoyable. Mrs. Fye was the recipient of many useful presents as a testimonial to the high esteem in which she is held. Among the guests from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. John A. Kline, Miss Minnie Kline, Centre Mills ; Mrs. Bailey, of Altoona ; Harry Fye and family, Mr. Homan and family, of Centre Hall; Mr. Jamison and family, of Spring Mills, and Mr. Stover and family, of Farmers Mills.

Letter to G. O. Benner

Centre Hall, Pa.

Dear Sir : We suspect you'd like the tale, how a woman beat two hardware dealers in Girand, Pa.

We tried our best to get those men to sell Devoe lead-and-zinc in that bright town ; and failed. Reluctantly took Mrs. E. R. Bowman, druggist.

They said they couldn't sell paint at more than $1.25 a gallon. Mrs. Bowman can. She has sold about all the paint, that has been sold there since.

She knew Devoe ; had sold our artists' materials. Had some sense and force, besides ; she easily learned that cheap is dear in paint, and told the people.

Mr. Burt Young bought a gallon Devoe for rooms that had always taken a gallon of other paint ; had half left.

Mr. E. H. Hiler, jeweler, painted Devoe, and says it goes further—no particulars.

Mr. John Hanna, grocer, thought it expensive before he bought it ; brought back nearly half of his paint, and said it was the cheapest job he ever had.

Mrs. Bowman reports universal satisfaction. So much for a cheap-paint town with a bright woman in it.

Yours truly
F. W. DEVOE & Co.
34 New York.

A forbidding individual—an auctioneer.

SPECIAL ELEVEN-DAY EXCURSION.

To Ocean Grove, Asbury Park, or Long Branch Via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For the benefit of those desiring to visit the great Ocean Grove Camp Meeting, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will, on August 25, sell excursion tickets to Ocean Grove, Asbury Park, or Long Branch from stations named below at the very low rates quoted.

These tickets will be good for passage to Philadelphia on train indicated, thence on regular trains leaving Broad Street Station at 12 27, 2 32, 3.30, 4.00, and 4.09 P. M. that day to destination.

	Train Leaves	Rate
Bellefonte	Leave 6:40 A M	$5.75
Lemont	7:02 "	5.50
Oak Hall	7:06 "	5.50
Linden Hall	7:10 "	5.25
Centre Hall	7:22 "	5.25
Rising Spring	7:35 "	4.75
Coburn	7:50 "	4.75
Glen Iron	8:26 "	4.50
Millmont	8:33 "	4.50
Mifflinburg	8:45 "	4.50
Lewisburg	9:05 "	4.50
Philadelphia	Arrive 3:16 P M	

Tickets will be good for return passage on regular trains, except limited express trains, until September 4, inclusive, and will permit of stop-off at Philadelphia within limit returning.

Aaronsburg.

Paul Swabb and Jacob Bitner were to see Mrs. Kizzie Swabb, Sunday.

Mrs. Wetherhead, with her daughter and Miss Margaret Mayes, of Allentown, are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Caroline Mayes.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stambach, of Lock Haven, came to town Saturday and returned home Sunday.

John Grenoble and several of his family, of Yeagertown, were guests of Clymer Stover and George Weaver, last week.

Miss Sarah Haffley, of Bellefonte, is spending her vacation with her parents, in this place.

Rev. B. B. Uhl, of Salona, preached in the Lutheran church Sunday evening.

Mrs. Fred Limbert has gone to visit her daughter at Olean, N. Y.

Miss Ruth Swabb is visiting her sister, Mrs. Burd, at Coburn.

Miss Elsie Philips, of Philadelphia, is spending her vacation with her parents.

Mrs. Foster and daughter, of Carlisle, are paying Mrs. F. J. Foster a visit.

Mrs. Kurtz, of Milton, is the guest at the home of Luther Stover.

Mr. and Mrs. Eckert, of Penn Hall, were visitors at the home of Ralph Stover, Sunday.

A Warning to Mothers.

Too much care cannot be used with small children during the hot weather of the summer months to guard against bowel troubles. As a rule it is only necessary to give the child a dose of castor oil to correct any disorder of the bowels. Do not use any substitute, but give the old-fashioned castor oil, and see that it is fresh, as rancid oil nauseates and has a tendency to gripe. If this does not check the bowels give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and then a dose of castor oil, and the disease may be checked in its incipiency and all danger avoided. The castor oil and this remedy should be procured at once and kept ready for instant use as soon as the first indication of any bowel trouble appears. This is the most successful treatment known and may be relied upon with implicit confidence even in cases of cholera infantum. For sale by C. W. Swartz, Tusseyville ; F. A. Carson, Potters Mills.

FOR SALE—The undersigned offer for sale five fine Jersey Heifers. Will be fresh soon. Price, $35.
SHOOK BROTHERS,
Spring Mills, Pa.

PUMP REPAIRING—The undersigned is prepared to repair all styles of pumps, etc. Prompt attention will be given this work.
J. S. ROWE,
Centre Hall, Pa.

GASOLINE ENGINE FOR SALE—The undersigned offers for sale an eighteen-horse-power gasoline engine and water tank, Lambert type. This engine and tank are in good condition and were used up to the time that steam power was substituted. Reason for change was that double the power was needed owing to the addition of machinery. The outfit will be sold at a bargain. Call on or write to
J. H. AND S. E. WEBER,
Centre Hall, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE—In the matter of the estate of Sarah L. Fisher, late of Gregg township, deceased, letters testamentary cum testamento annexo upon said estate having been granted by the register of wills, etc., to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate are hereby requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them duly authenticated for settlement.
CHAS. W. FISHER,
Administrator c. t. a.,
Penn Hall, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of Administration on the estate of David Glasgow, late of Haines twp., deceased, having been duly granted to the undersigned, he would respectfully request all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement. D. S. GLASGOW, Administrator,
June 1, 1905 Tusseyville, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—LETTERS of Administration on the estate of Mary Waugh, late of Gregg township, deceased, having been duly granted to the undersigned, he would respectfully request all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement.
JAS. P. GROVE, Administrator,
W. Harrison Walker, Spring Mills, Pa.
Attorney, Bellefonte.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE—The undersigned offers for sale a house and lot, on Main street, Centre Hall. The house is two story, and well located.
For further particulars call on W. B. Mingle, Centre Hall.
(o. 22) D. OLIE STOVER,
Beres, Ohio.

THE SHARPLESS TUBULAR CREAM SEPARATOR is a short cut, saving half the dairy work. It is a low-down machine. There is no drudgery in washing the simple three piece Dairy Tubular Separator bowl. Avoid bucket bowls. They're all full of troublesome parts. Twenty-six sizes—take the one that will accommodate your herd. Considering the durability of the machine, the price is the lowest of any separator on the market. For further particulars write or apply in person to
H. D. ROSSMAN
Spring Mills, Pa.

Better Than Ever

Our trade in all lines is better than ever—constantly increasing. This is occasioned by our low prices, efficient and courteous treatment, fair and square dealing. If you are not a customer of the CASH STORE, you are losing something your neighbor is getting. Examine our Goods, compare our Prices, and your good judgment will tell you that we save money for our customers. Specials are continually being offered—numerous ones this week. We quote but one here as an indicator of what we are doing.

For One Week Only . . .
Ladies' 25c Sun Bonnets - - - 10c

Wanted—Berries, Apples, Potatoes, Young and Old Chickens, Ducks, Lard, Ham, Shoulder, Bacon, Butter and Eggs. Cash paid, but according to Quality ONLY.

TERMS—Strictly Cash or Produce.

RIPKA'S CASH STORE
OPPOSITE HOTEL - - - SPRING MILLS

NEW STORE: NEW GOODS

POTTERS MILLS, PA.

Monday, August 14, was the formal opening day for this New Store.

You are invited to call and examine the stock of Goods, which embraces a complete line of

MEN'S CLOTHING
NOTIONS and GROCERIES

Which are being offered at bottom prices.

Highest prices paid for Produce.

TERMS—Strictly Cash or its Equal in Produce . .

W. H. BLAUSER, PROP.

THE BEST SHOES

MID-SUMMER
REDUCTION SALE OF SHOES

The greatest offer we ever made at the beginning of the season because We Need The Money. Now is the time when summer goods are in demand and we are offering—Ladies', Misses' and Children's White, Black, Tan and other colors in Oxford and Low Shoes. Also, Men's, and Boys' Black and Tan Oxfords at cost and less for cash. We have a special offer in Stetson Oxfords for Men. Remember this is a sale of Low Shoes and a splendid chance for buyers. Sale now on.

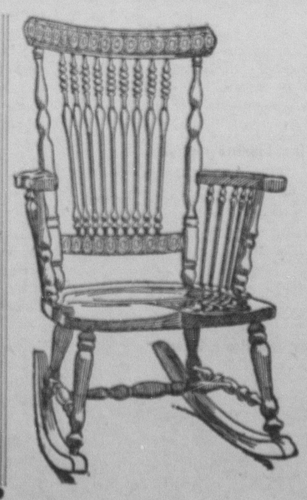
YEAGER & DAVIS
BELLEFONTE, PA.
THE SHOE MONEY - SAVERS

YEAGER & DAVIS

Get a Good ROCKER

As everyone in the world gets tired at some time or other, we have decided to give everybody who will take it a rest, for a small outlay, by selling Rockers
AT REDUCED RATES

$7 Rocker for $5
$1.75 Rocker $1.40
Double Rockers for $4.50



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CENTRE HALL